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The 1977 Lamp celebrates the first one hundred years of Friends Academy. It is a book that we hope tells at least a part of the story, and even more, reveals our respect and admiration for an environment which has stimulated our minds and inspired our spirits.



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AL HAULENBEEK



Mr. Haulenbeek is 'A MAN FOR ALL SEASONS'. He has enriched our lives with compassion, laughter, and generosity of spirit. (And . . . who will ever forget those red bedroom slippers!)


MEETING FOR



What is the value of the Fifth Day Meeting for Worship at Friends Academy? It would be presumptuous of me to undertake to answer such a question for anyone other than myself, though many graduates as well as undergraduates have placed a high value on it. For me it represents a few moments of quiet in the middle of a busy week, the outer world with its noisy importunings shut out, leaving me free to consider the larger concerns of life, and to reach for the external.

Have you ever watched a tight rope walker at the circus, balanced precariously on a thin wire high over the heads of the audience, courting a fatal plunge and disaster? If the acrobat carries a parasol the task is much easier, success more assured, for the parasol with its resistance to violent motion provides a stability that is otherwise lacking. Is Meeting something like that, a stabilizing force in a world that is not the least stable?

William Masland
Chairman of the Board of Trustees
30 November, 1976



MEETING IS A TIME . . .

". . . when someone speaks and a special understanding, a feeling, or a personal bit of knowledge is shared."

". . . when I can turn away from problems and free my mind from strain."

". . . in which I find myself."

Thoughts from Upper School students





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RULES AND REGULATIONS.

The Principal shall have the supervision of the Educational Department and the direction of the teachers.

The teachers shall have the oversight of the pupils, under the direction of the Principal, in and out of school. They shall be punctual at meals, and put out the lights in the halls at 9:45 P. M.

The Matron shall have the supervision of the entire household, seeing that the house is closed at 10 P. M. She shall mark the deportment of the pupils as may be necessary to maintain good order in her department, and report the marks to the Principal for record.

She shall have a rising bell rung through all the halls at The bell for meals shall be rung at the foot of the lower stairs.

Scholars shall not visit each other's rooms without permission from the teacher in charge of the hall. They shall go to their rooms and retire at 9 P. M. They shall not take lights into their rooms without permission from the teacher in charge of the hall, and we recommend great care in granting these permissions. They must be punctual at their meals, and remain at the table until properly excused. Those who are tardy will be so marked in their deportment.

Scholars shall not leave the school-grounds without permission from the Principal.

All clothing sent to the laundry must be plainly marked with the owner's name. Girls will be allowed twelve and boys ten pieces in the wash each week.

The Superintendent shall have charge of the out-door department. At the closing of the house, 10 P. M., he shall see that the fires are prepared for the night. It shall be his duty to report any infringement of these rules and all misdemeanors of the scholars coming to his knowledge, to the Principal.

The Principal, Matron and Superintendent shall have authority to make such other rules and regulations, subject to the approval of the Trustees, as may be necessary to maintain good order in their respective departments. When necessary, they shall act together in the formation of joint rules.



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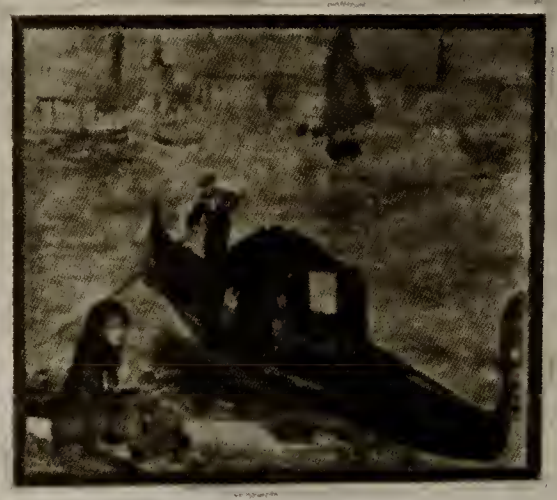


CLASS



OF 1977

TIME



AND AGAIN



DIANA LYNNE ROBINSON

You can be anything and everything you want to be . . . It all depends on you. Anything in your mind you feel like you might want to do, it's all right. To be free to be who we are is a blessing to us all.

Author Unknown





JERILYN ZULLI

Though this be madness, Yet there is method in't.

Shakespeare



PATRICK
COLEMAN

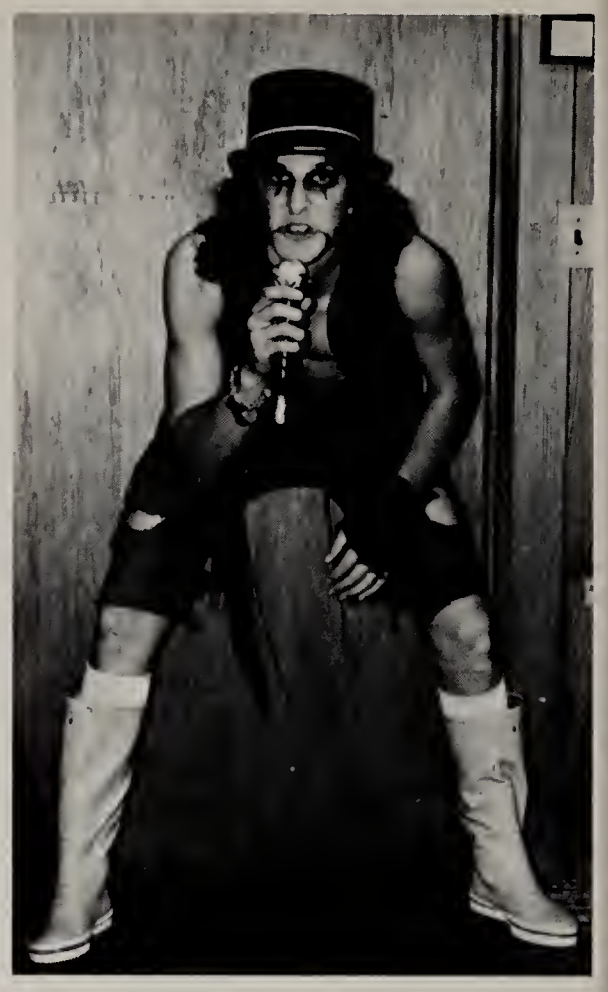
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BRUCE PAILET





ED CALZOLARI

And so castles made of sand
fall in the sea eventually.
James Marshall Hendrix



CHUCK COOPERSTEIN



JONATHAN STAIGER

All the world's a stage and all the players are drastically under-rehearsed.



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Yield, and overcome
Bend, and be straight
Empty, and be full
Wear out and be new;
Have little and gain.

Lao-Tsu

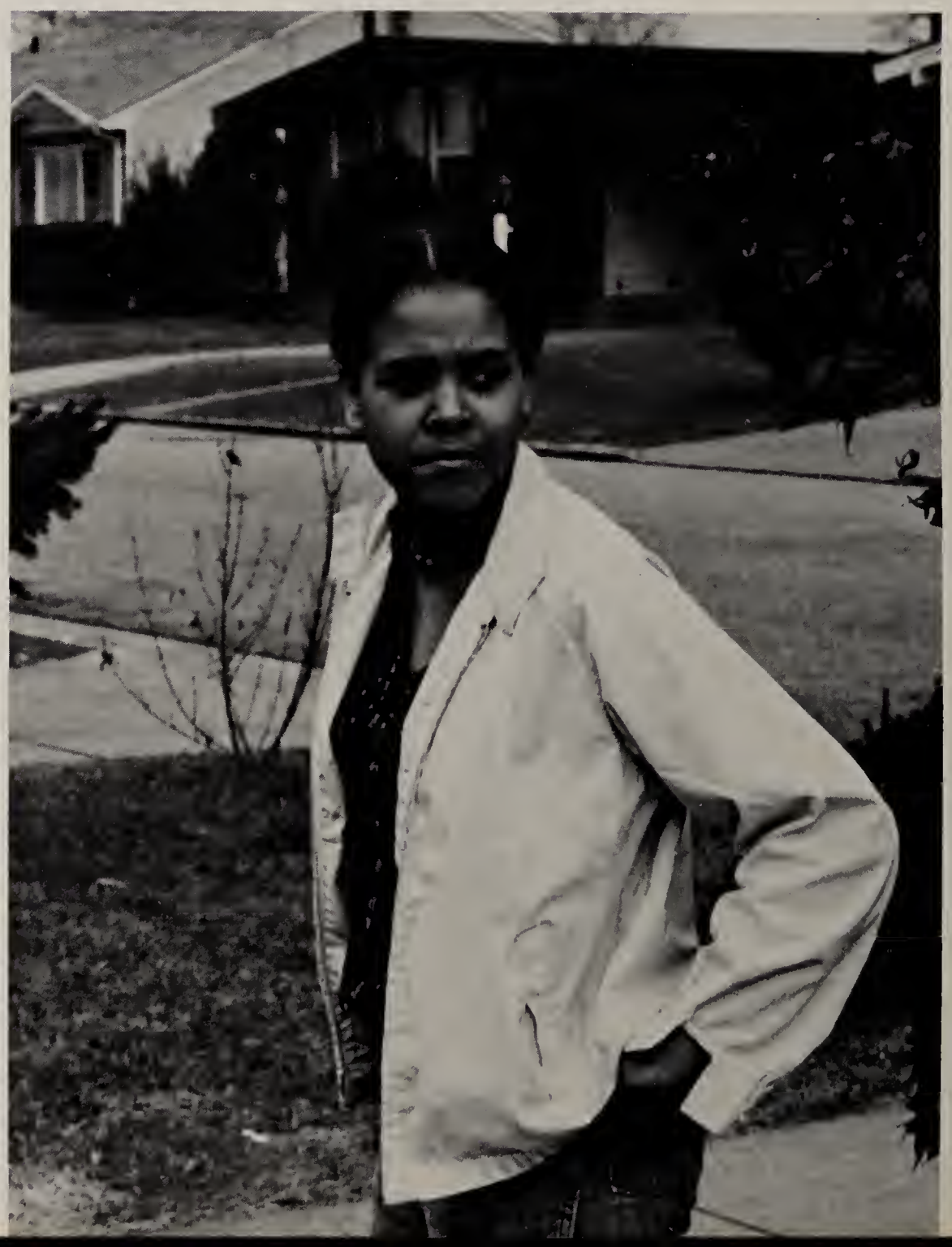


LYNNE MALLORY

Don't walk away from life —
give yourself to it.

Rinder

PENNY KRUSKA-MEALING



the world is not a pleasant place
to be without
someone to hold and be held by

a river would stop
its flow if only
a stream were there
to receive it

an ocean would never laugh
if clouds weren't there
to kiss her tears

the world is not
a pleasant place to be without
someone

Nikki Giovanni

ALLISON DAVIS

Life is too short to be little.

Disraeli



Here's the tricky part . . .



. . . one more time.

CINDY COLOMBO







If there's a bustle in your Hedgerow,
Don't be alarmed now,
It's just a spring clean for the May-Queen.
Yes, there are two paths you can go by,
But in the long run,
There's still time to change the road you're on.

Led Zeppelin

CHRIS ARRAU

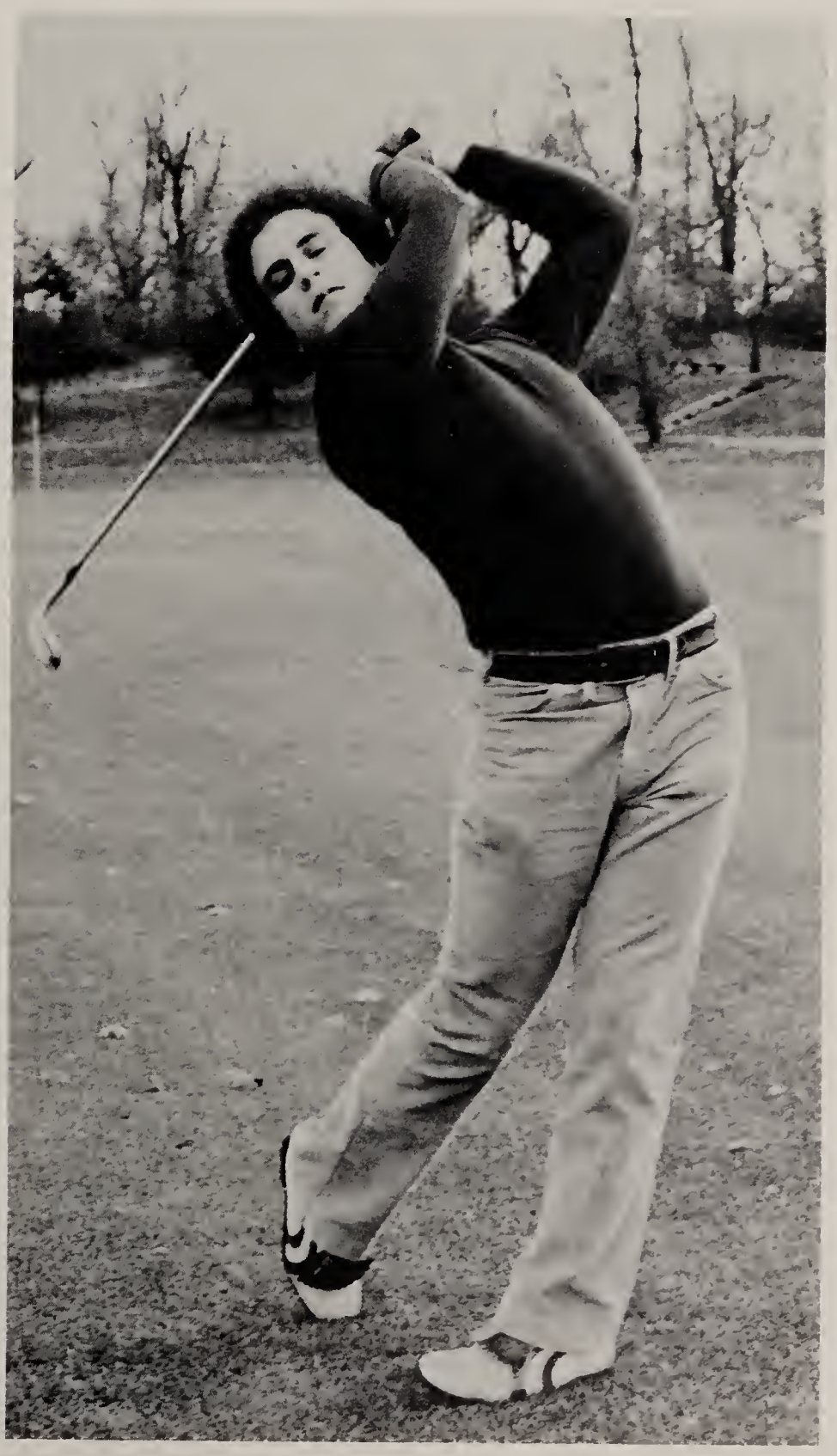
¡Adiós Amigos!



CHUCK A. CHADDICK



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Happy are those who dream dreams
and are ready to pay the price
to make them come true.

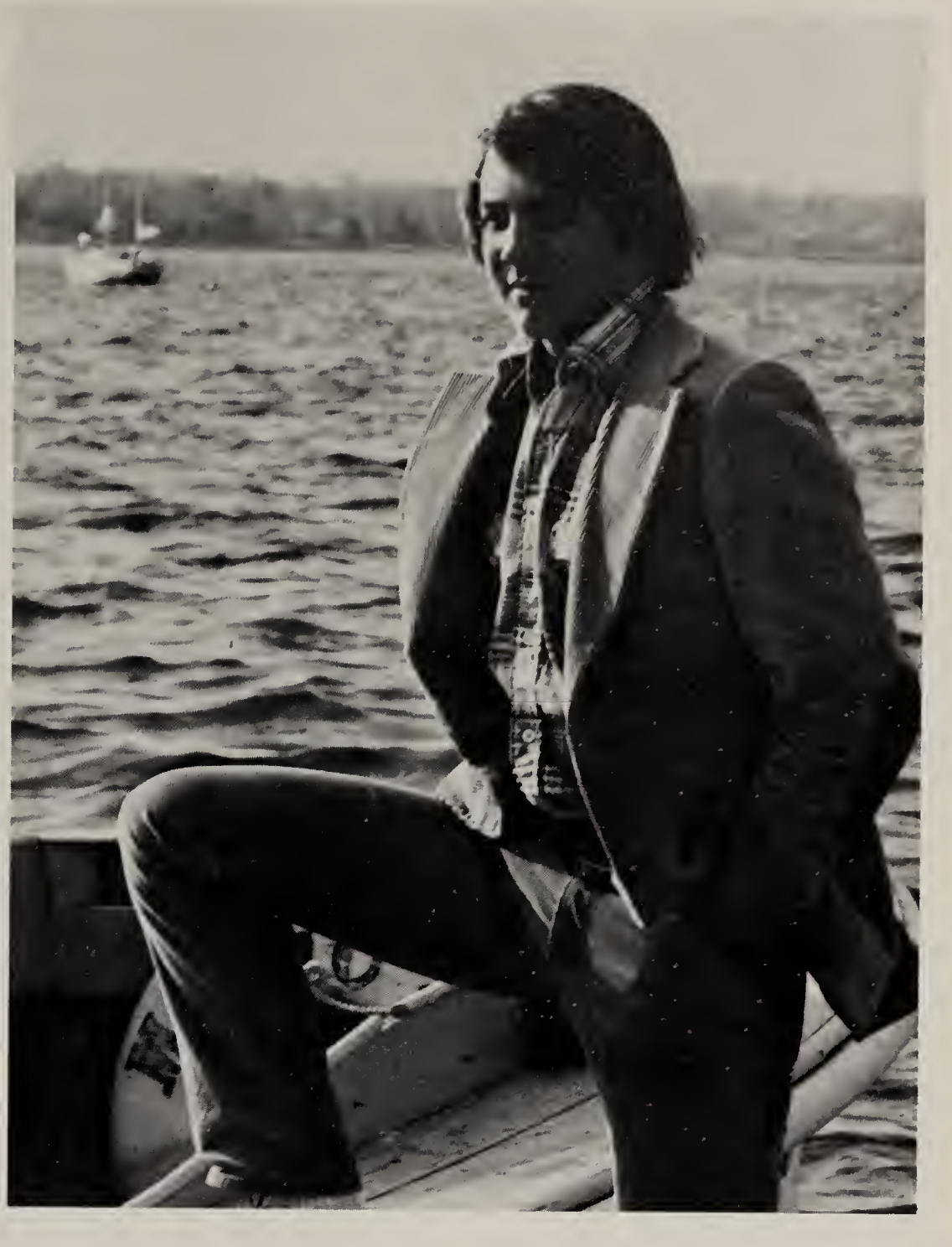
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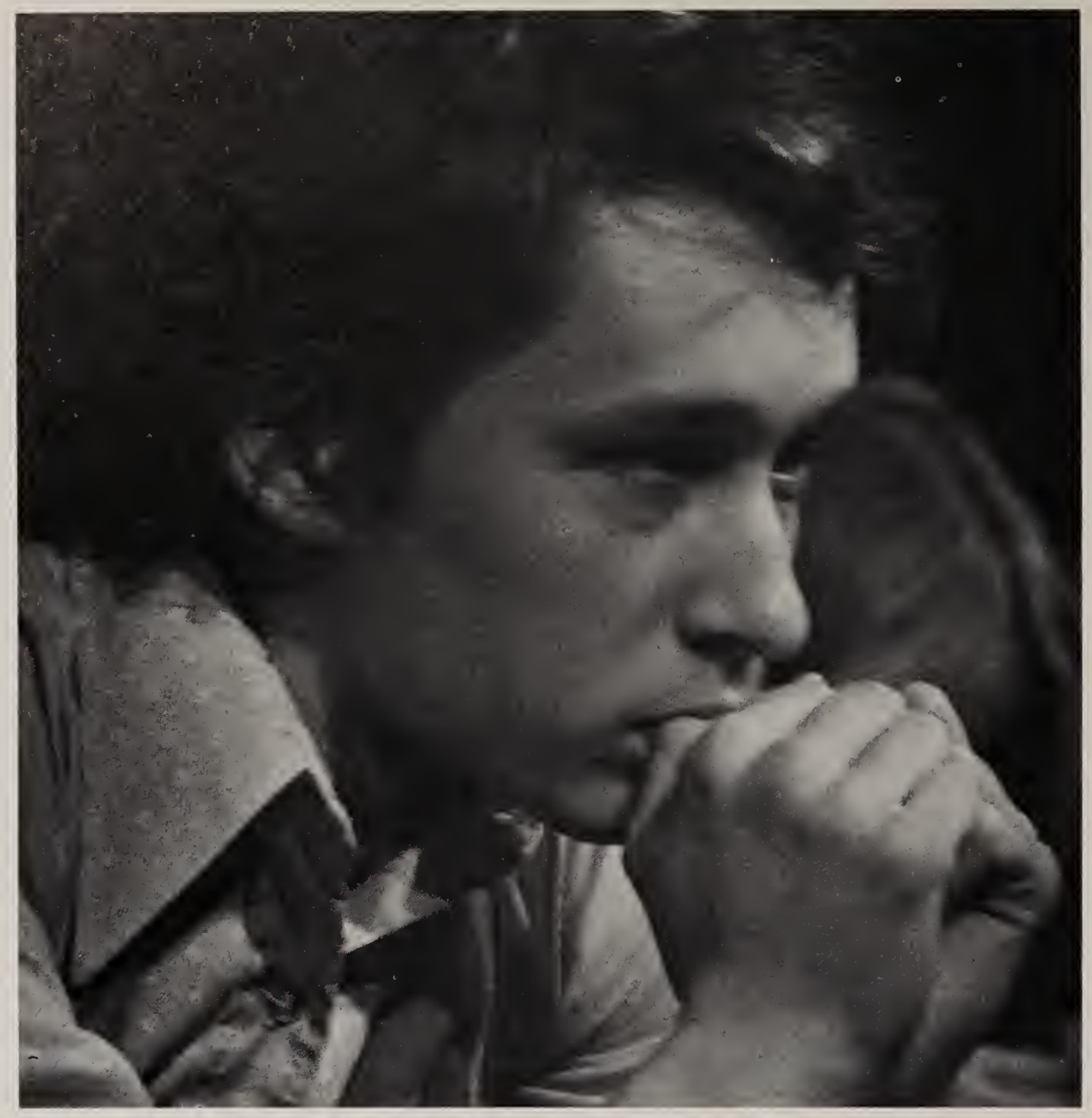




JOHN W. EPLER (EPS)

Have a place for everything and keep the thing somewhere else. This is not advice, it is merely custom.

Mark Twain



PAUL ROSTA

In the time of your life, live—so that in that wondrous time you shall not add to the misery and sorrow of the world, but shall smile to the infinite delight and mystery of it.

William Saroyan

The Time of Your Life



PAUL MEADE

. . . keep interested in your own career, however humble; it is a real possession in the changing fortunes of time . . . strive to be happy.

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JOANNA E. PARKER

If you have built castles in the air, your work need not be lost; that is where they should be. Now put the foundations under them.

Thoreau



JAYE TOMIKO LADINSKY

Rivers belong where they can ramble
Eagles belong where they can fly
I've got to be where my spirit can run free
Got to find my corner of the sky.

Stephen Schwartz

SUE WEINSTEIN

I am always in hope of making a discovery . . . to express hope by some star, the eagerness of a soul by a sunset radiance.

Van Gogh





SUSAN SCHROETER

And if I have touched you or made you remember a moment from somewhere, then my job is done.

N.R.P.S.



STEVE MILLS



ED SILVER

Don't let the past remind us
of what we are not now.

Stephen Stills

"Suite: Judy Blue Eyes"



CHRISTINE OLKO

If one advances confidently in the direction of his dreams, and endeavors to live the life which he has imagined, he will meet with a success unexpected in common hours.

Thoreau

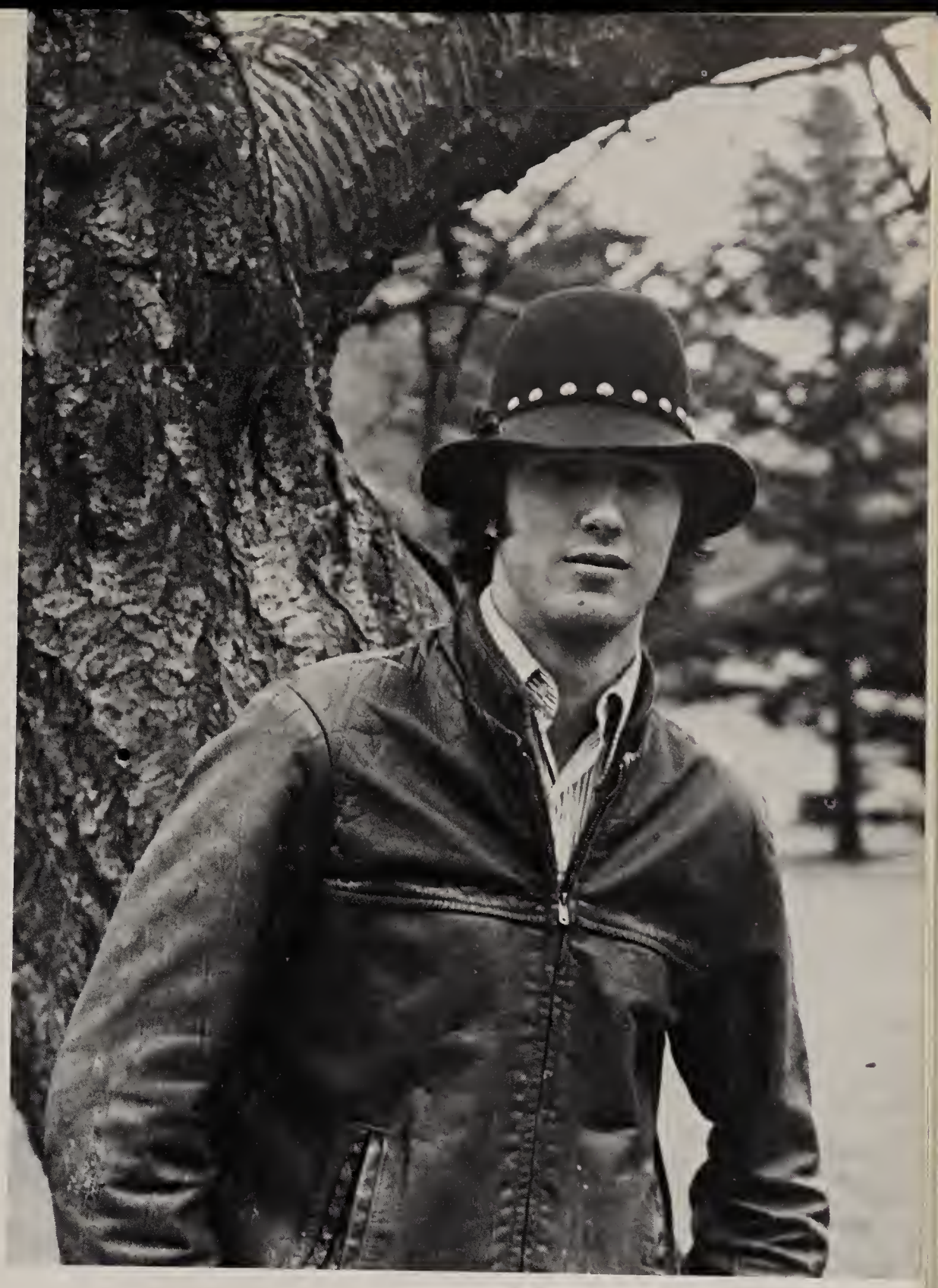


If you want something very badly,
Let it go free.
If it comes back,
It was yours forever.
If it doesn't, it was never yours to begin with.

Jess Lair

LYNN SHARON HASKEL

JIM SHIRLEY





Education is an admirable thing, but it is well to remember from time to time that nothing that is worth knowing can be taught.

Oscar Wilde

ERIC MORRISON

KAVITA KAMAT



The happiest people seem to be those who have no particular reason for being happy, except that they are.

W. R. Inge

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MIMI S. FRENCH

I wear my hat as I please, indoors or out.

Whitman



MICHAEL TEITEL

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Everybody needs a change
A chance to check out the new
But you're the only one to see
The changes you take yourself through.

Stevie Wonder

ANN WEISS



Some people cry and some people die
By the wicked ways of love:
But I'll just keep on rollin' along
With the grace of the Lord above.

Led Zeppelin



JANET BRUCKNER

It's now the time for
Bozo and me
To graduate and say
goodbye.
We've built our dreams
and our minds,
Two things that we won't
leave behind.
Whatever is waiting
ahead for us
We will have to catch it,
we must.

Time has passed away.
Oh! How it hurts to say,

"Later, F.A."



The road to hell is paved
with good intentions.

William James

CAROL HENRY



KATIE DEREGIBUS

"Toto, I have a feeling we're not in Kansas anymore!"



HEATHER ANN VUILLET

STEPHANIE APT

You give but little when you give of your possessions. It is when you give of yourself that you truly give. For what are your possessions but things you keep and guard for fear you may need them tomorrow?

Kahlil Gibran

The Prophet





JANE WALDMAN

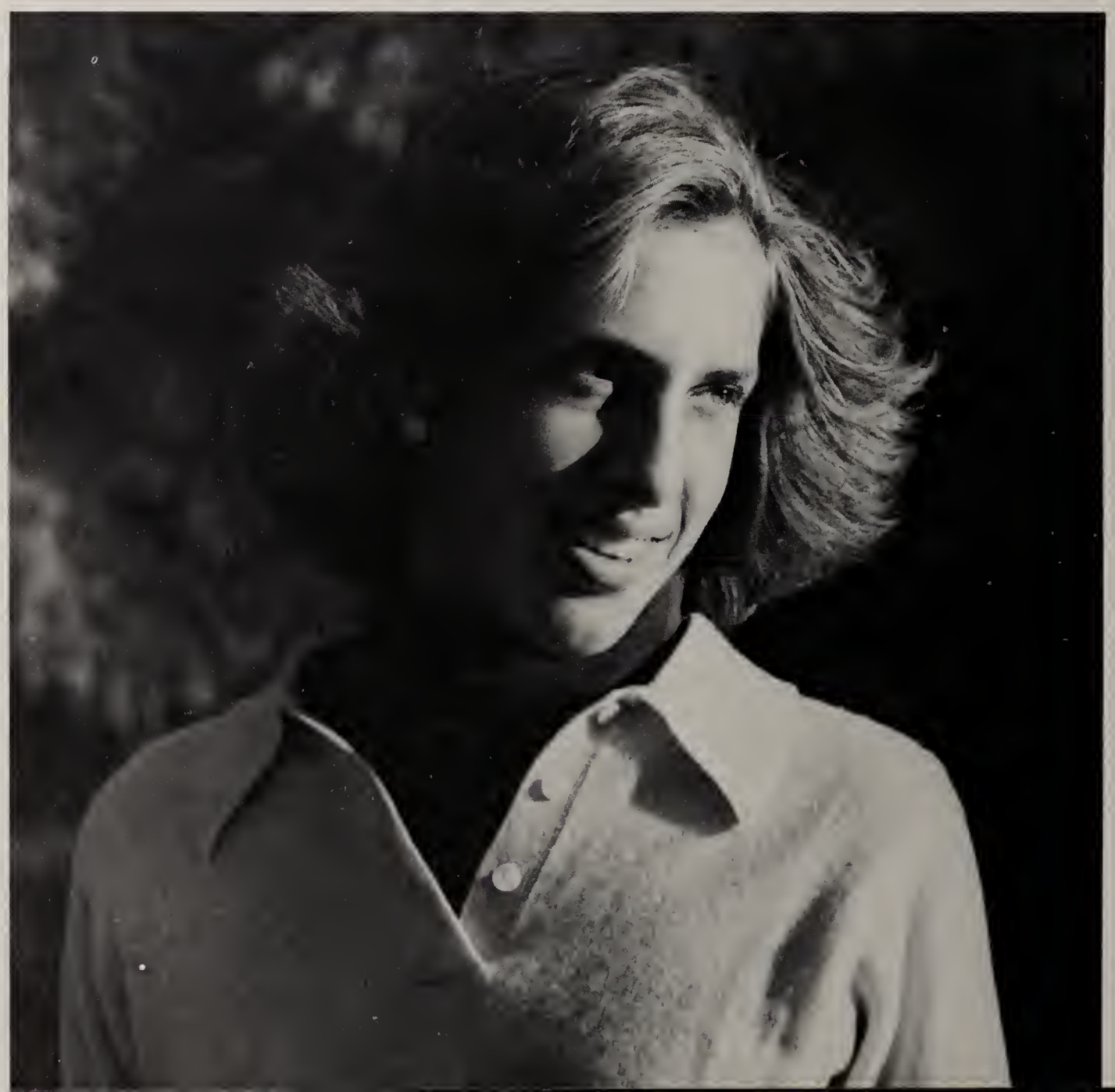


AMY SCHMIDT

Why, sometimes I've believed as many as six impossible things before breakfast.

The White Queen

Through The Looking Glass



SUE EMMER





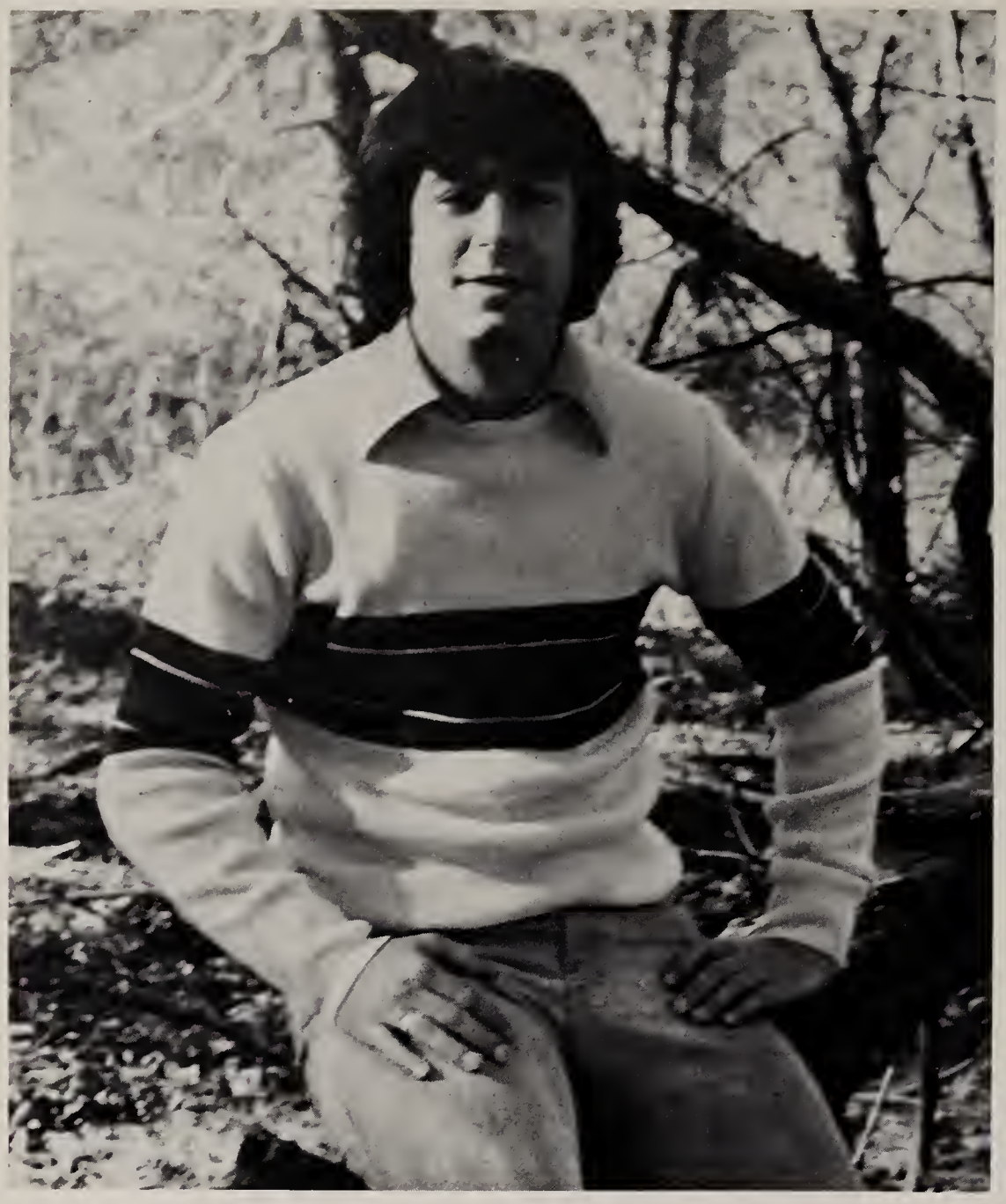
ROXANNA HOLMES
(ROXIE)

Oh will you gather daydreams,
or will you gather wealth?
How can you find your future,
if you cannot find yourself?

Gordon Lightfoot

JONATHAN MACHOVER







NEVIN DUBIN

You can try to teach a horse to tap dance. It won't work. It just wastes your time and bothers the horse.

Lazarus Long
(Robert Heinlein)



SHARON ANN BECKHARD

To see the world in a grain of sand,
And a heaven in a wild flower;
Hold infinity in the palm of your hand,
And eternity in an hour.

William Blake



NANCY WHEELER

He who bends to himself a joy
Does the winged life destroy;
But he who kisses the joy as it flies
Lives in eternity's sunrise.

William Blake



LAURIE SIEGEL

Thinking is, or ought to be, a coolness and a calmness; and our poor hearts throb, and our poor brains beat too much for that.

Herman Melville

JENNY ORKIN

I have nature and art and poetry, and if that is not enough, what is enough?

Vincent Van Gogh





RICHARD ALLISON



DOUGLAS I. BRANDON

Quotation confesses inferiority.

Ralph Waldo Emerson



KRISTEN MUELLER



KRISTIN FULLAM

If everyone in the world were an athlete,
we would have a much better chance
for peace. We would break records—
Not each other's heads.

Vasily Kuzetsov



ELIZABETH
HAGAN

BETH SHAPIRO

If one advances confidently in the direction of his dreams and endeavors to live the life which he has imagined, he will meet with a success unexpected in common hours.

Henry David Thoreau





DEBBIE SACKEN

MARCY WESTERLING

You can say I want to be free
I can say some day I will be.

James Taylor



DALE GIVAN

The worst solitude is to be destitute
of sincere friendship.

Francis Bacon



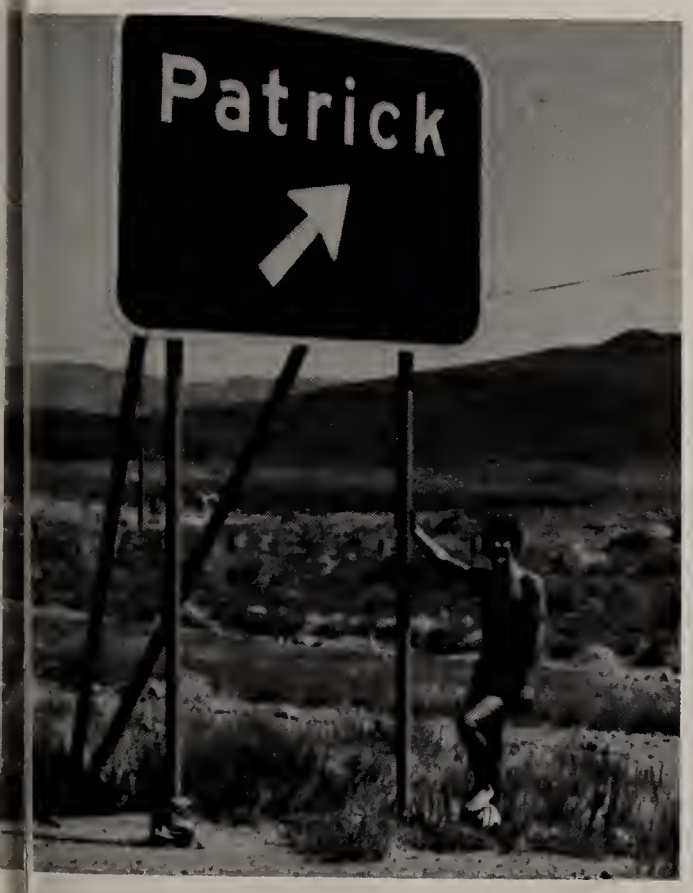




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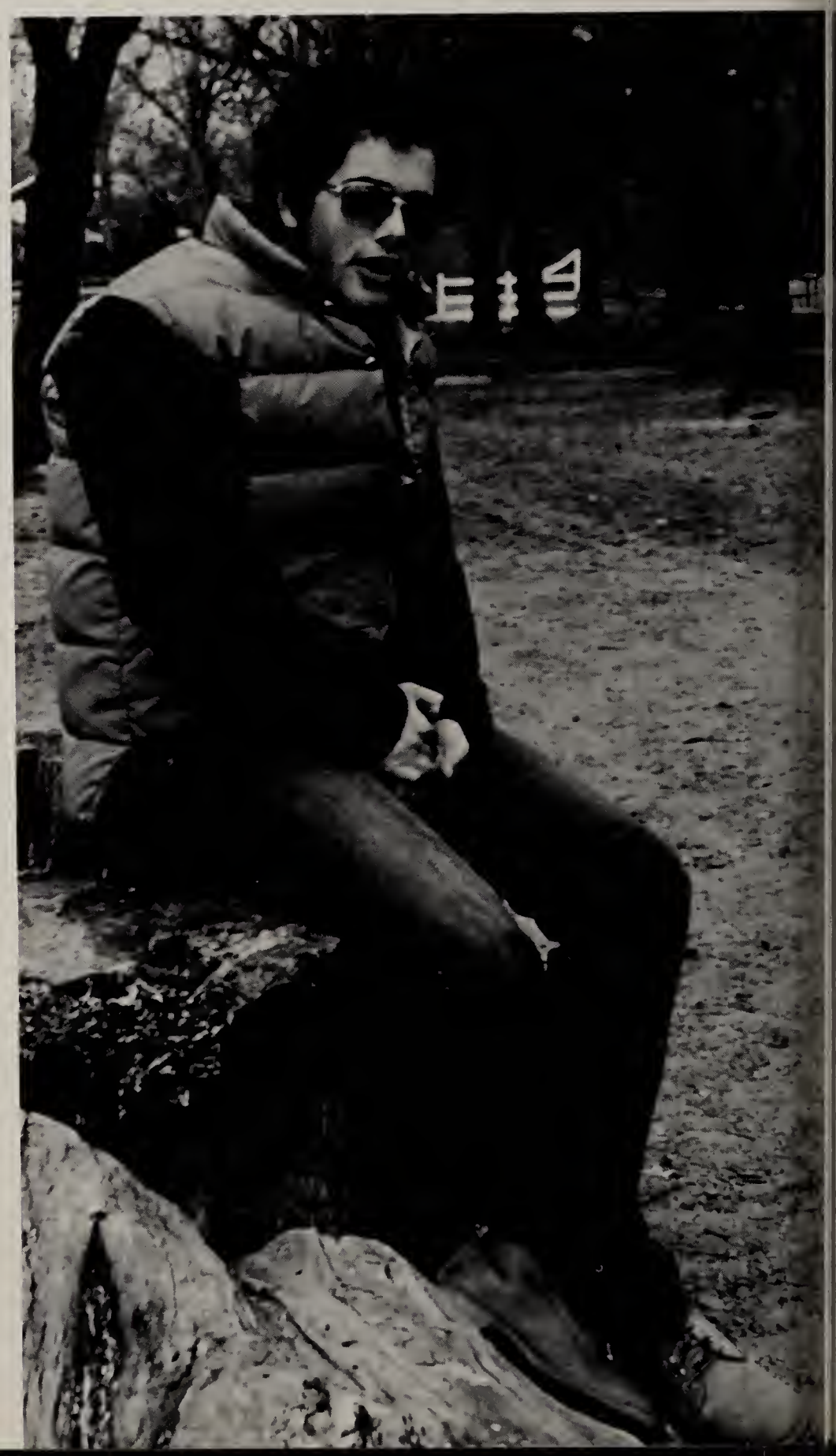




GRIFF McNAIR

What the people need is a
way to make them smile.

The Doobie Bros.



GUY SPENCER



BARBARA AYERS

Barbara was in love with learning and with life. The time she spent with us was brief, too brief for us to appreciate or even to understand how courageous her struggle was.



PETER LE MAY

Peter left us all with an important message - make the most of your time on earth. Life is far too precious to waste.

HALLOWEEN 1976


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JUNIORS

The Junior Year is one of anticipation
. . . of participation
. . . of preparation.

As we reflect on our past two years in high school, we set goals for the years ahead. We experience P.S.A.T.s and take the first concrete steps toward our senior year and college.

There are so many ways to get involved as a junior. We have bake sales to raise money for class projects, such as the Junior Musical and Rose Karaki, the girl we sponsor in Africa. We are now one of the upper classes and are encouraged to exercise a position of leadership. It is our last year at Field Day, our chance to show the underclasspersons what it is to be a junior.

After recovering from the S.A.T.s, a junior's thoughts turn to the prospect of being a senior and the many new responsibilities and challenges that next year holds.



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BOYS GYM


HANSON







Though many have thought that it might be a bummer,
Six saps went out West on a trip last summer.
There was Wild Jim Evans and Crazy Horse Chuck;
Janoska the Kid, and Robbie the Buck.
They saw Glacier, Grand Teton, and Yellowstone Parks
From a vehicle which was as big as an ark.
They went hiking, touring, and riding around,
And during the night they slept out on the ground.
They ate food like ten gluttonous, ravenous apes,
But then had to wash their own dishes and plates.
They came face to face with elk, moose, and deer
Without any significant traces of fear.
They each got a hold of a fake metal gun
And mugged for a picture which was all in fun.
There'll be more trips like this—it wasn't the last,
For those saps who went traveling all had a blast.





SOPHOMORES

Being a Senior is taking your final bows.
Being a Junior is taking your first steps toward college.
Being a Freshman is taking your first taste of high school.

Alas, being a Sophomore . . .

We are not old enough to be old hands at the game, yet not
new enough to be taken by the hand. But, we *do* have our place.

To a Senior we are a place where fond memories are stored.
To a Junior we are a place where many friendships have been formed.
To a Freshman we are a place where the closest helping
hand and the most understanding may be found.

Alas, to the sophomores . . . we are a place to find ourselves.

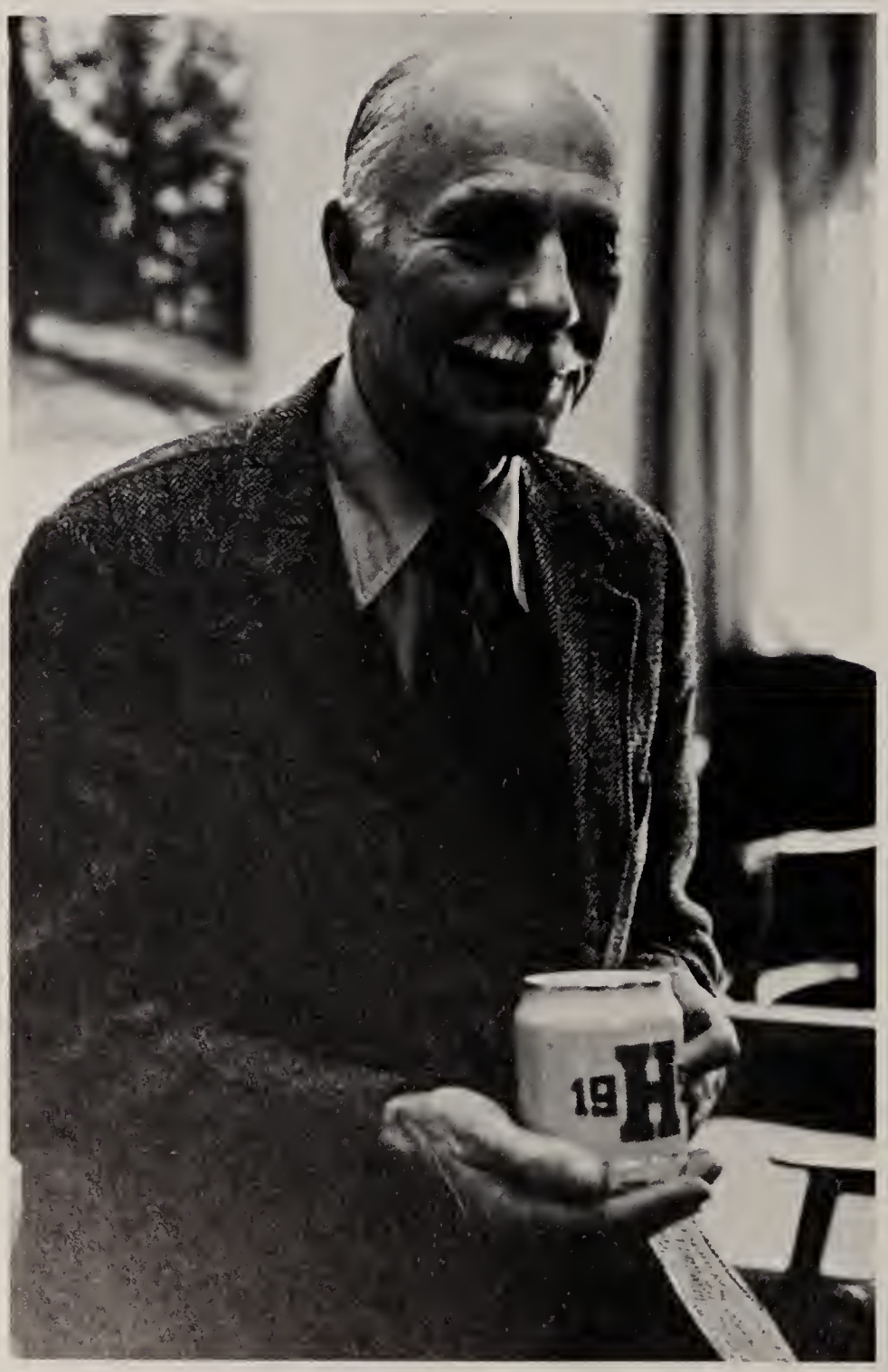


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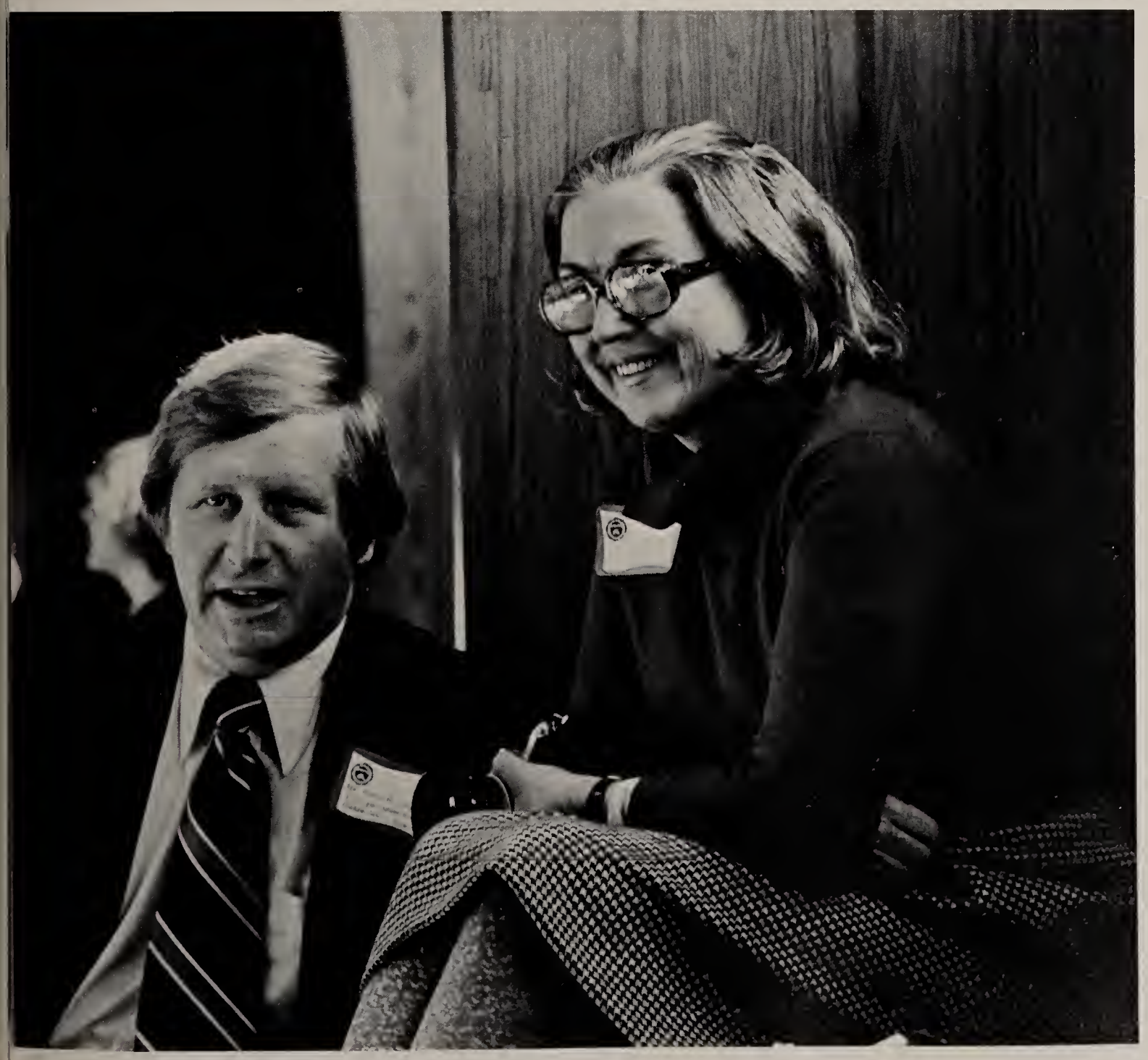


























REMEMBRANCES















OF THINGS SPRING 1976

FRESHMEN

Being a freshman means . . . .

more privileges
J.V. sports
pressure
being picked on
hard work
increased responsibility
realizing that soon you'll be a senior
Mr. Cressey
basically being with kids older
and the same age as you are
independence
essays
outdoor education
detentions
lots of girls. . .lots of boys



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Stephen Uhl
Tracey Vining
Suzanne Vuillet
Adam Wait
Gerald Weeks
Wendy Wheatley
Rita White
William Wonder
James Worby
Douglas Zang





REFLECTIONS

The colors of the leaves were intensified after the shower, and everything was clean, clear, and sparkling with water. The bright leaves formed a roof above us, my horse, Arlo, and me; and they seemed to glow with internal red, orange, and yellow lights. Arlo had a swaying walk, and it was so comfortable just to slump and let his movements rock me from side to side in his rhythm. Every time the wind blew, there was a shower of leaves that made splashes of vibrant red on the ground where they fell. It was so dreamy under the trees in their fall color; I never wanted to leave.







I reached out of my deep thoughts and tapped myself on the shoulder. "Hey, wake up! What are you doing out here, anyway? I thought you were the one who was always worried about breaking a nail or gaining a pound or two. I thought you were always the stay-at-home, the chicken-out. You don't belong out here in the woods! Aren't you at least homesick? Somehow I just couldn't imagine *you* camping!"



Startled, I replied, "Well! Have you finished your little tirade? You invade my privacy consistently, always at the most awkward times! In answer to your first question: I *was* riding along, enjoying myself. Notice the past tense. In answer to your second question: No, I am not the least bit homesick. Are you? I think I could really get good at this camping business. I've discovered a lot about myself on this trip. The philosophy of life is an endless field, but I've covered a lot of ground. Now if you will stop pestering me and leave, perhaps I can sink back into the mood I was in before you came."

"Very well, then, I'll leave. I must have been mistaken about you. You're not a hopeless case after all. I'm sorry about the harangue, and I take back all the bad things I said about you . . . well, most of them. I shall have to consider the pattern of life also."

With that I became myself again, and I slumped down on Arlo's back and looked up at the beautiful leaves. Yes, I had discovered things about myself that I never knew. My view of life was completely changed after camping in Connecticut. I never really believed in heaven and hell, the little angels with their halos and wings, and the Red Devil with his horns and pitchfork. I found out what I really believed about the afterlife. It probably isn't anything anyone ever thought of, but I believe in it, and that's what matters. Naturally I believe in God, but I never really knew what to make of Him, that is, I didn't have any idea of what He *is* . These aren't the only things I thought about in the woods of Connecticut, but I don't want to make this into a book. The point is, I think everyone ought to have a chance to think things over, to get to know people, and to learn how a camp as the ninth grade did. If it doesn't amount to anything, well, that's the way the cookie crumbles, but everyone ought to at least have a *chance*. The ninth grade Outdoor Education trip was my chance, and is a potential chance for all future Friends Academy ninth graders. Good Luck, eighth grade!





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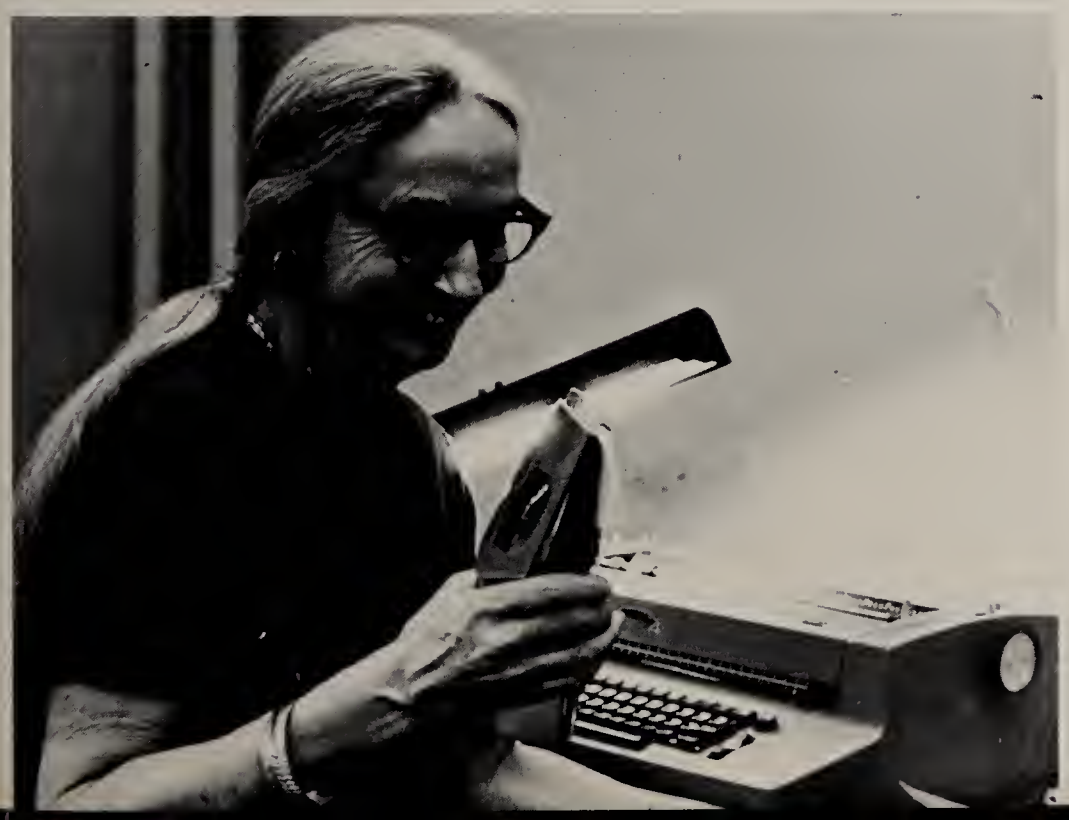
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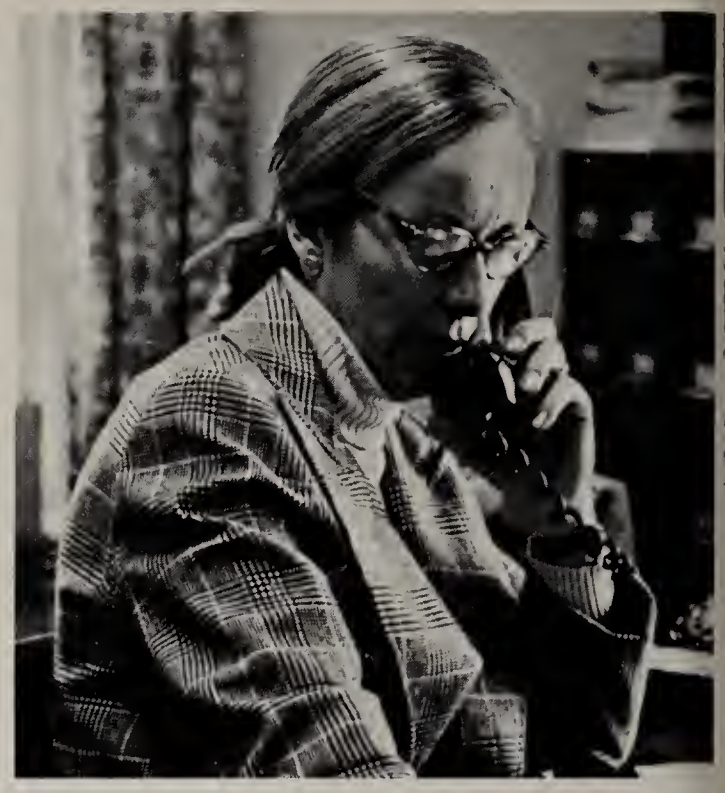
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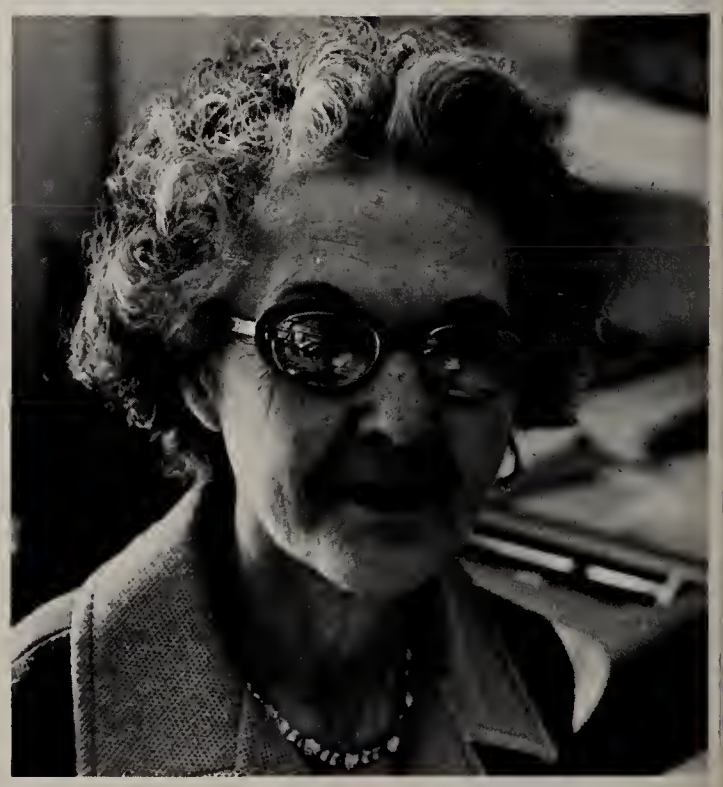
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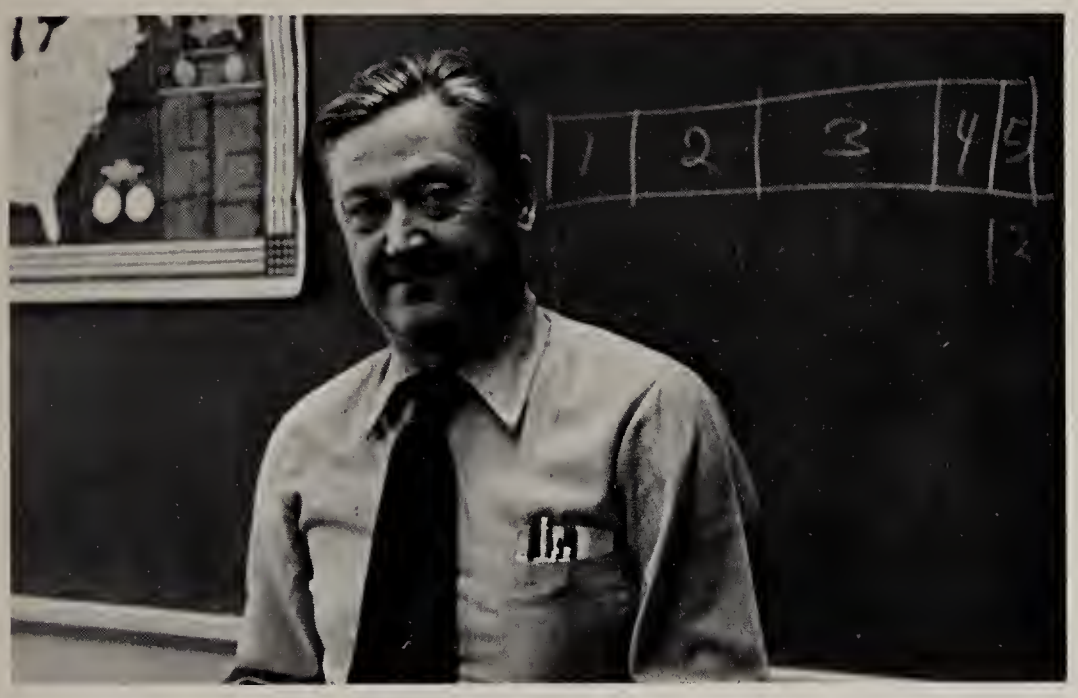




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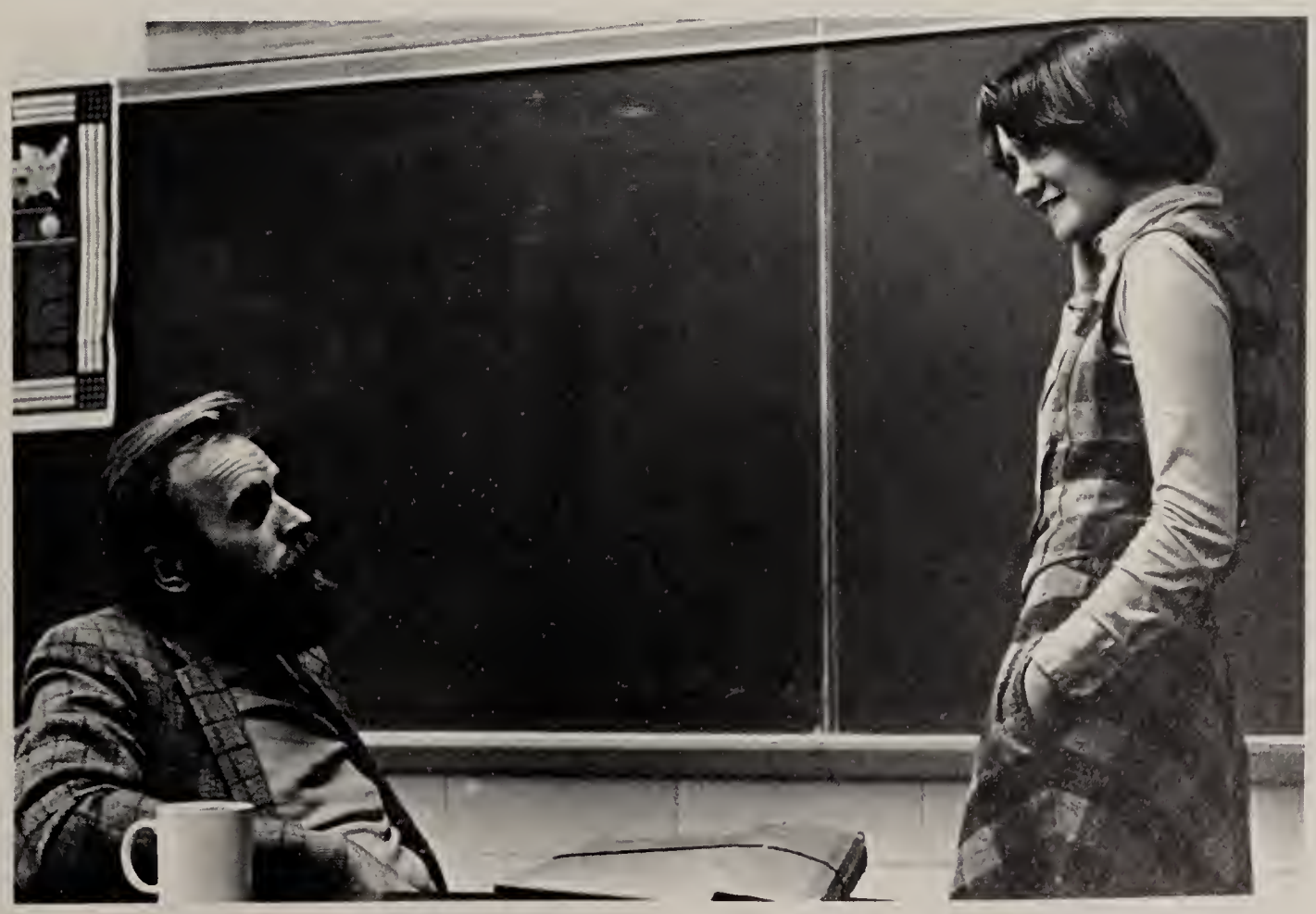
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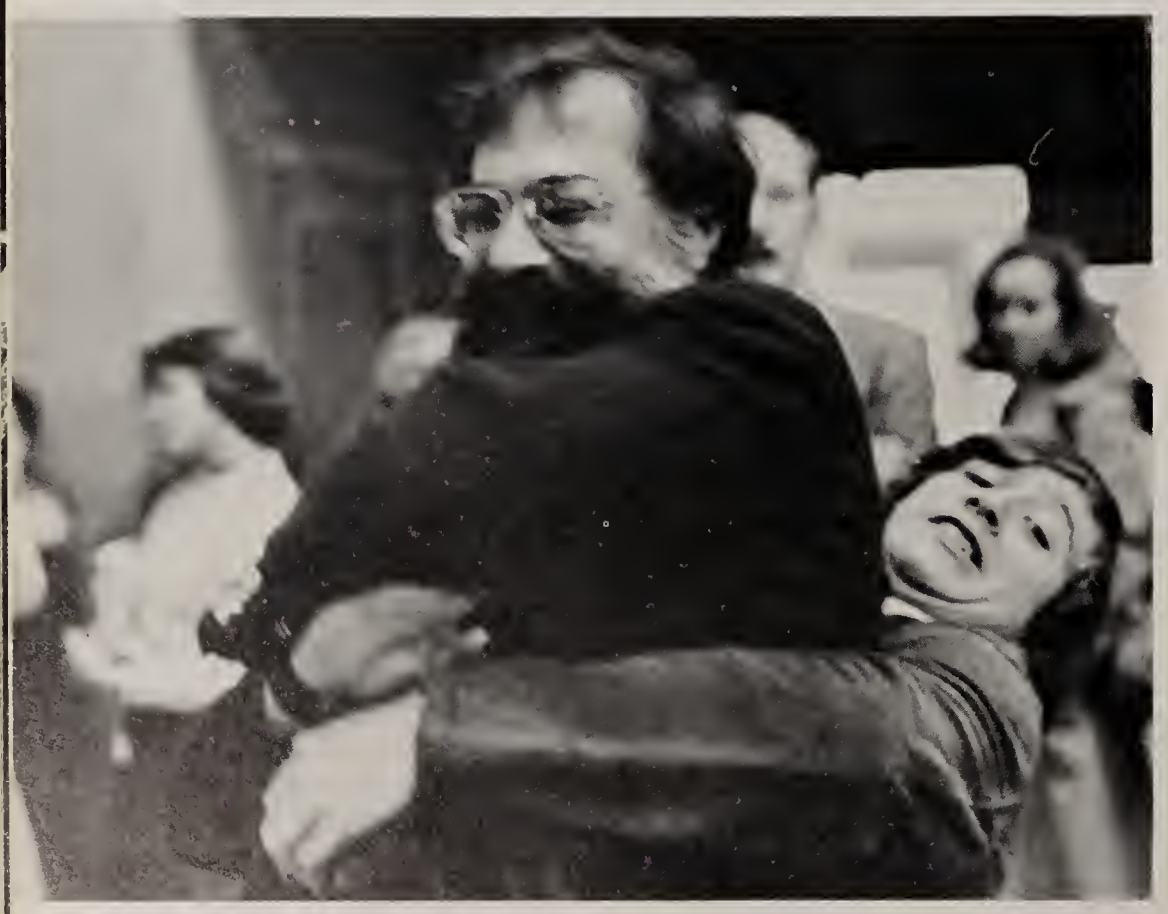


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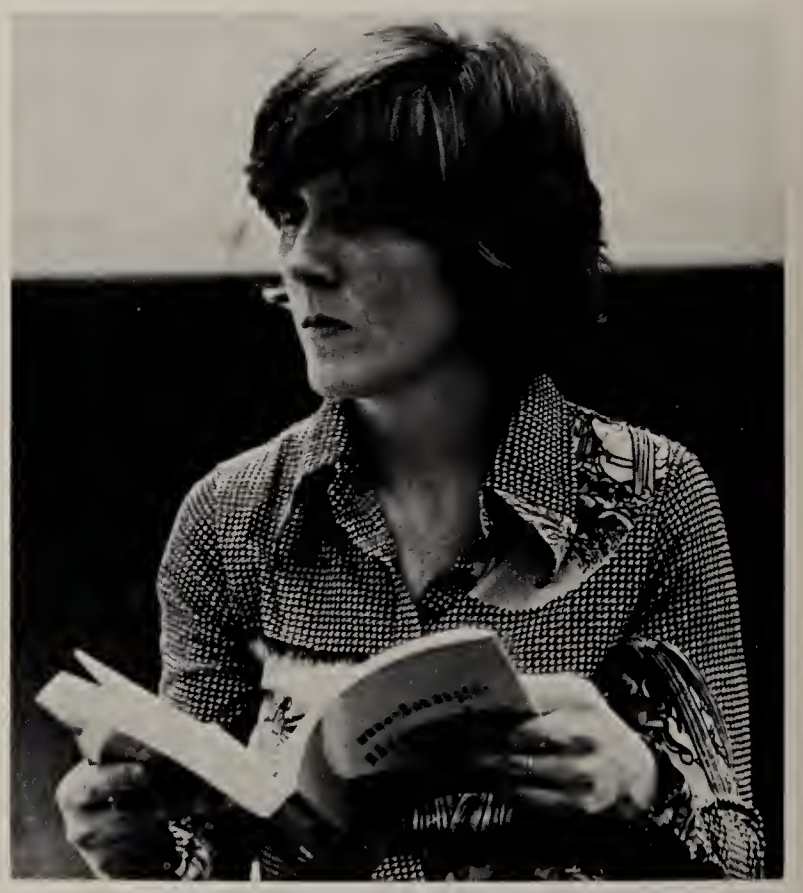


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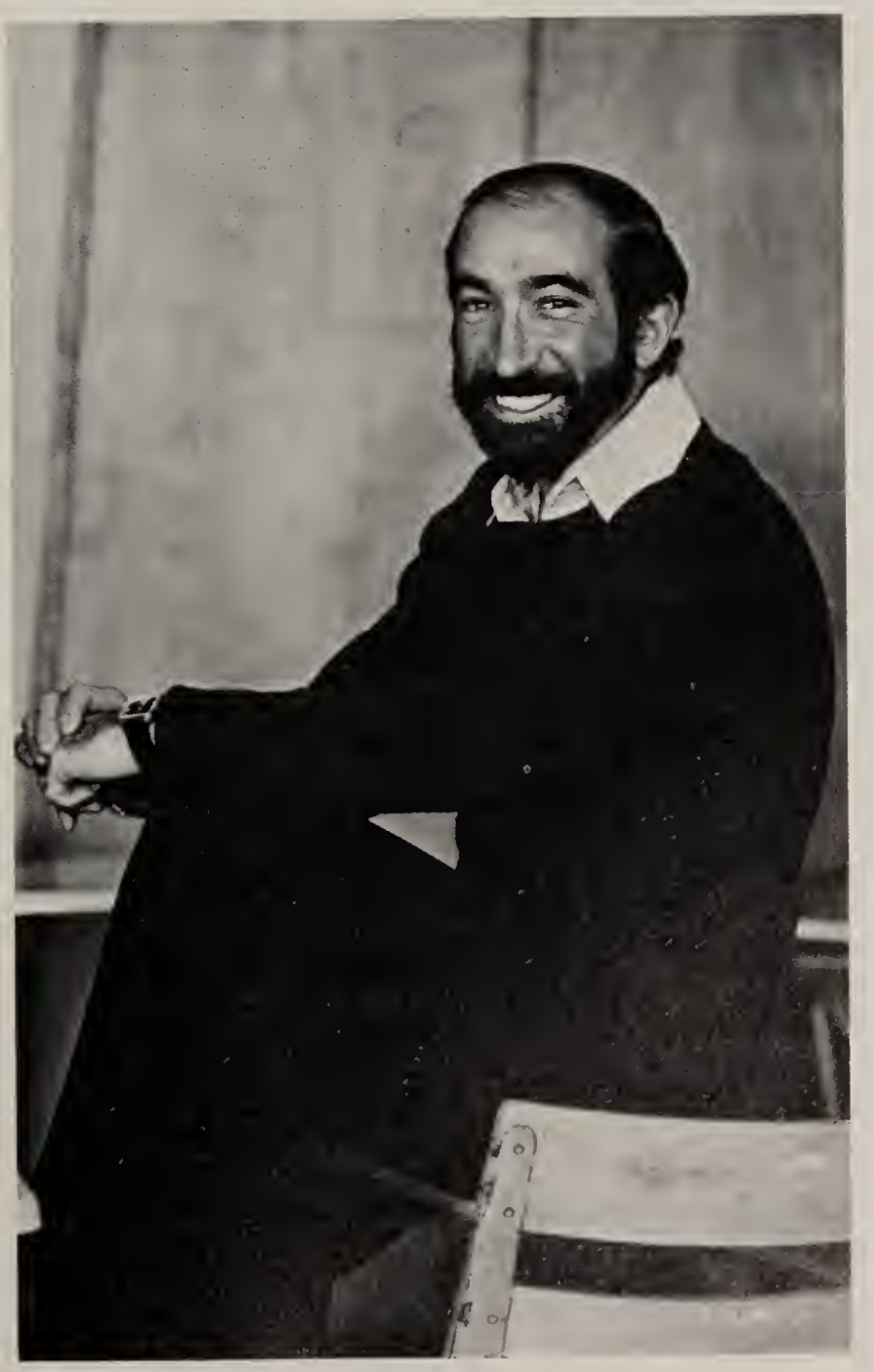


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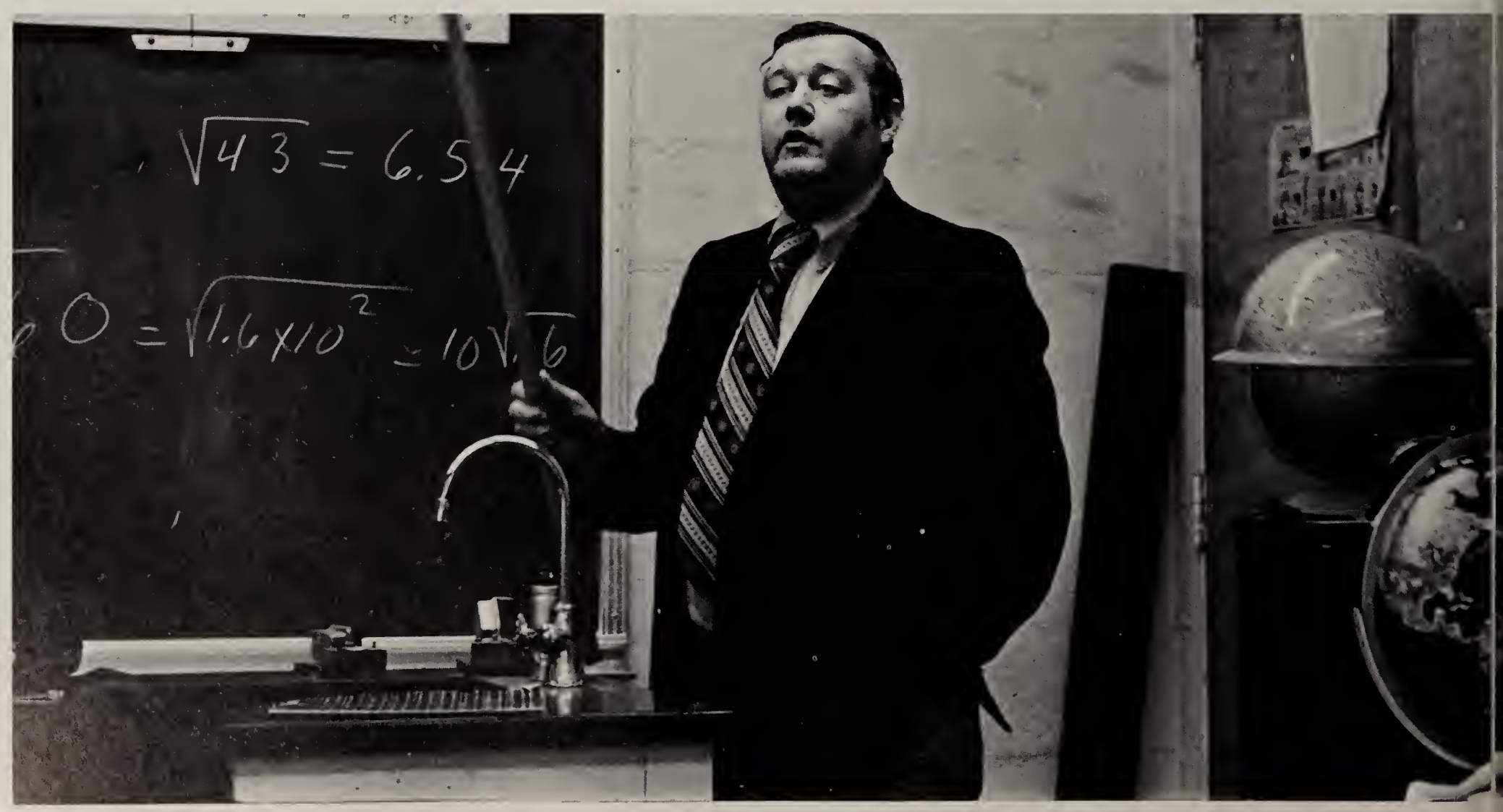
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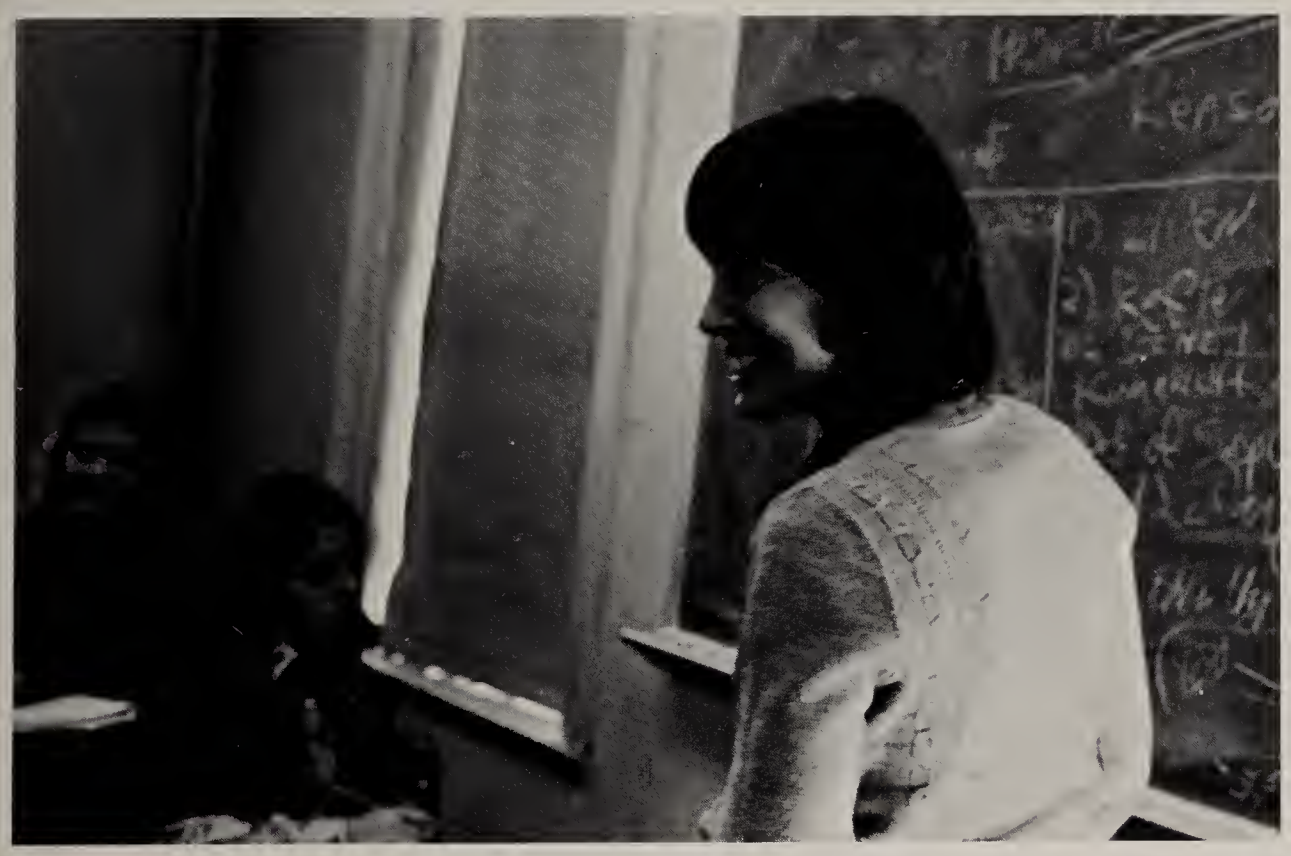


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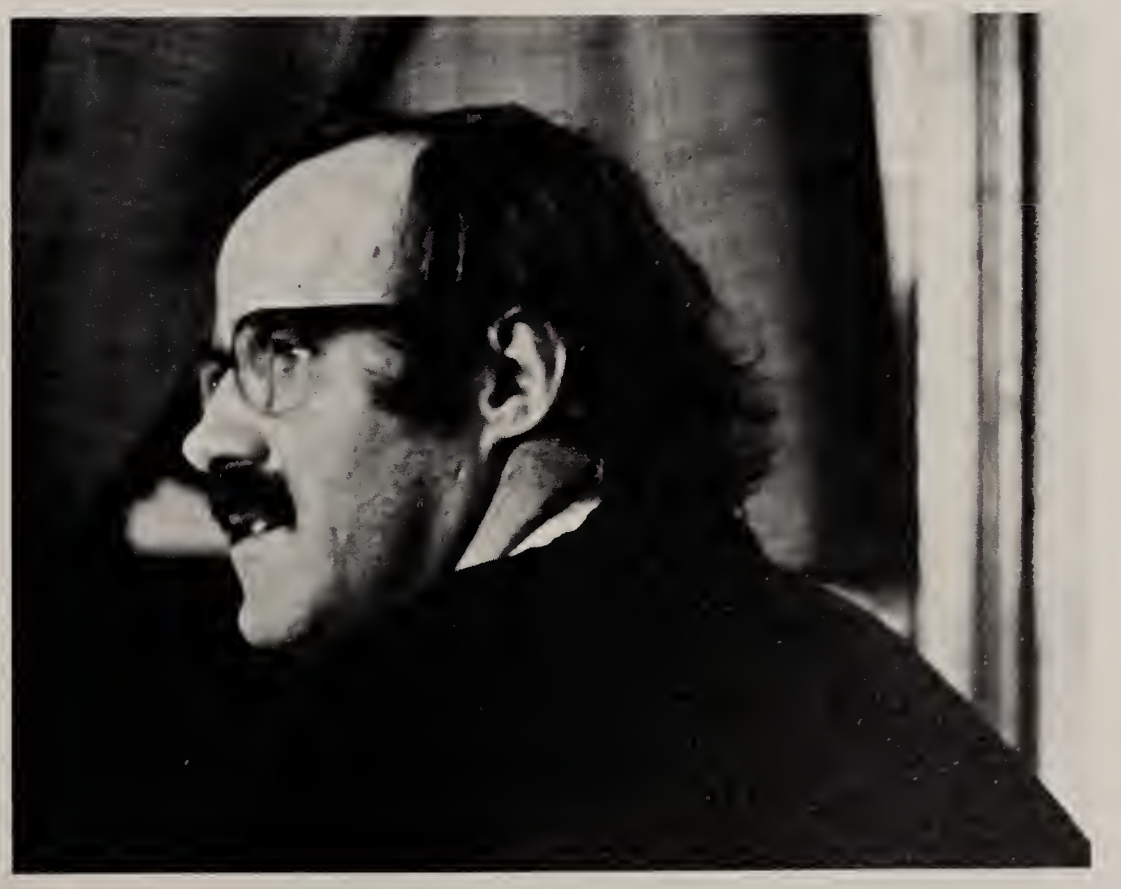
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FRIENDS AND THE COMMUNITY

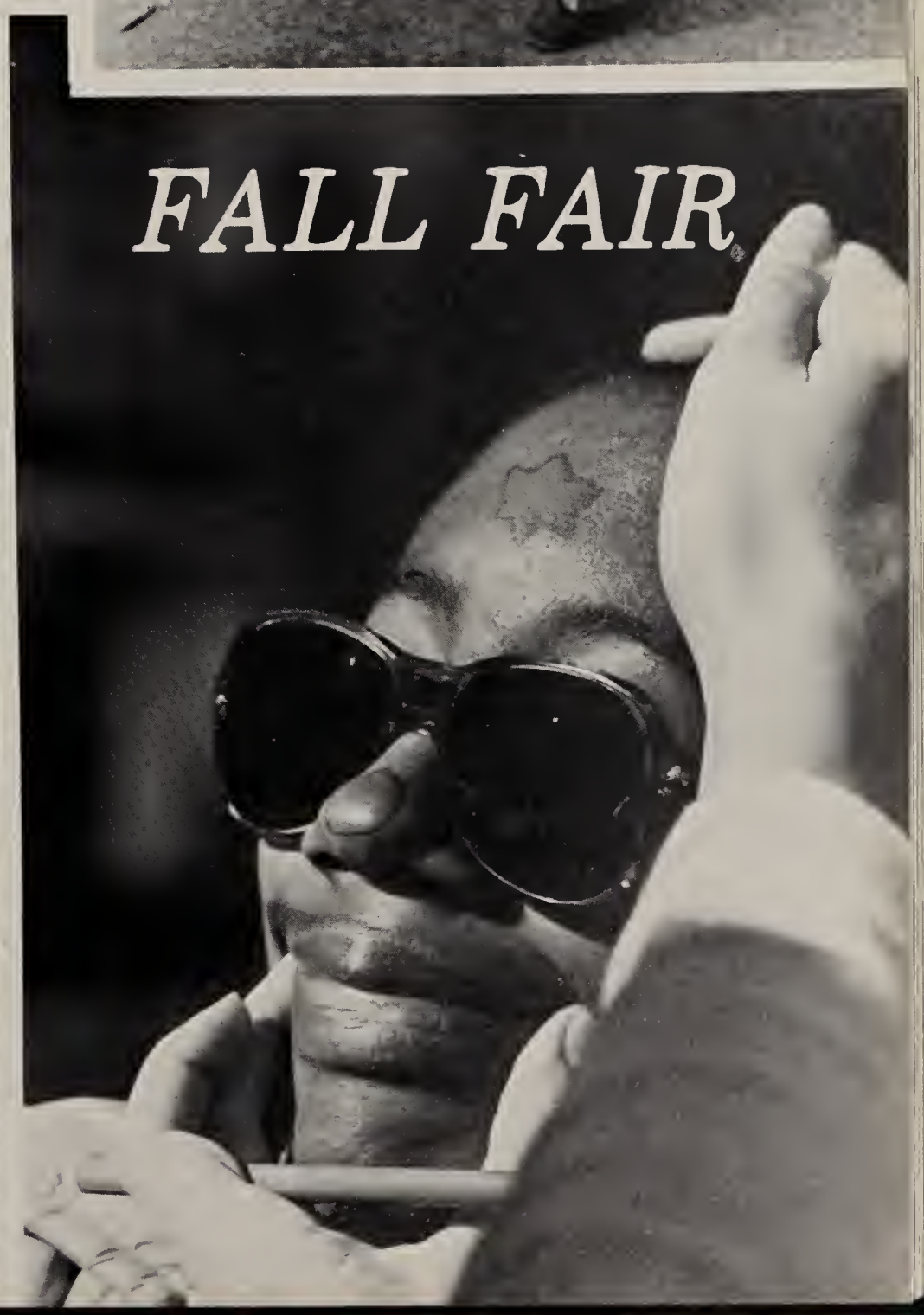


October 16, 1976


SNOOPY
COOKIES






FALL FAIR





COMMUNITY

Stephanie Apt
Mark Bodack
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Ed Calzolari
Holly Carobene
Marcia Cohn
Cindy Colombo
Susan Colombo
Karen Dickstein
Anne Dupont
Sue Emmer
Willie Freese
Leslie Fromm
Vanessa Fromm
Leslie Garner
Cynthia Guidi
Liz Hagan
Liz Jaroslow
Jaye Ladinsky
Liz Leach



Griff McNair
Penny Mealing
Kristen Mueller
Caroline Olko
Christine Olko
Barry Pailet
Debbie Passerini
Jane Reiss
Nina Riccardi
Debbie Sacken
Nancy Seligson
Beth Shapiro
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Jane Waldman
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SERVICES
A TIME FOR SHARING



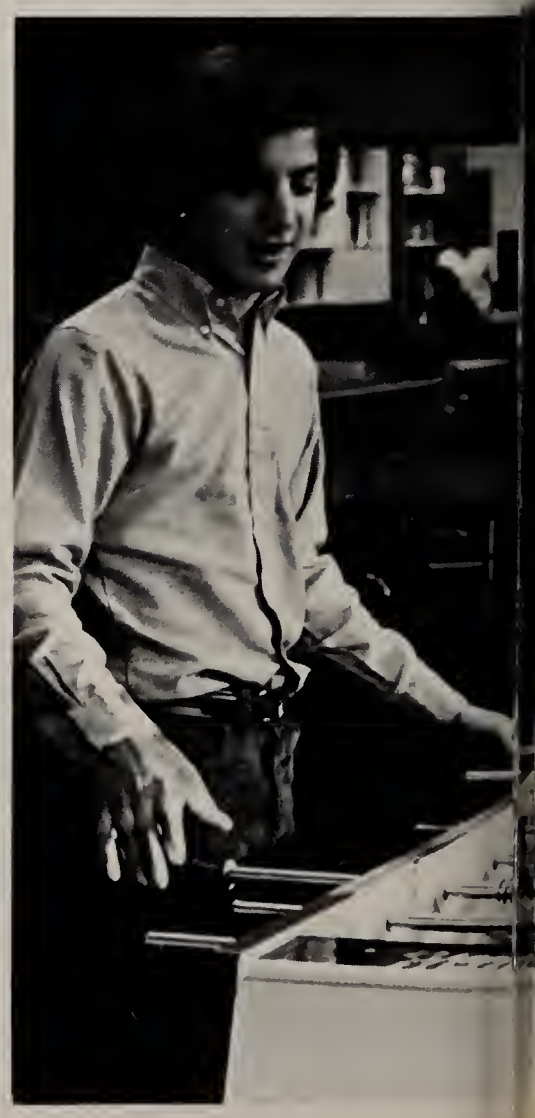
ST. CHRISTOPHER'S HOME
GLEN GARIFF NURSING HOME
THE GLEN COVE BOYS' CLUB



"I go to St. Christopher's
to play with the kids."

"I try to talk to them and see how they really feel, but it's difficult."







"It's worth trying to get to know anyone, especially a child. It's rewarding to see him smile and hear him call your name to play."







"I just try to be a friend."





"I decided that I would like to share a part of my life with the children, and I feel that I have enough love in me that I can share with them."

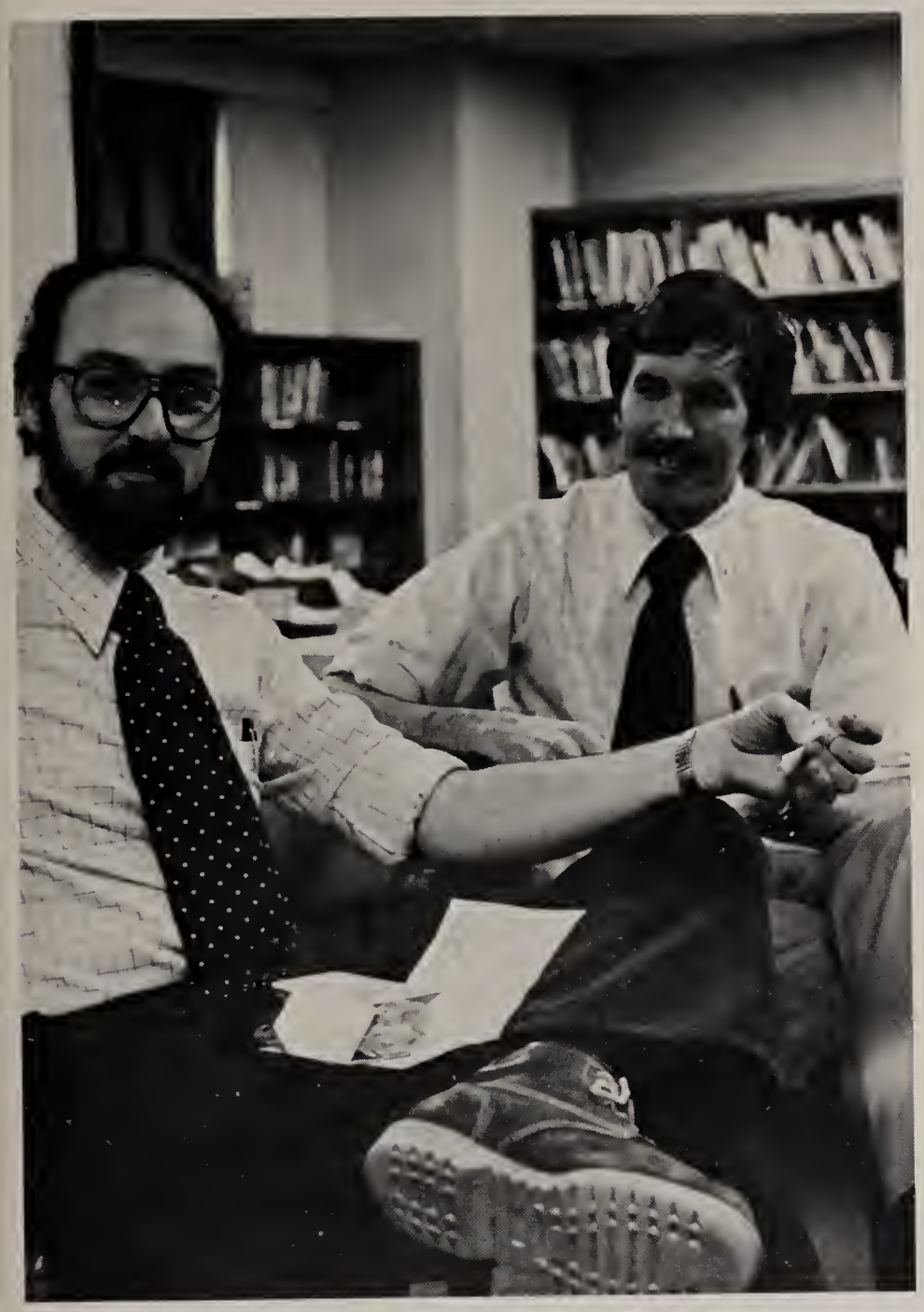




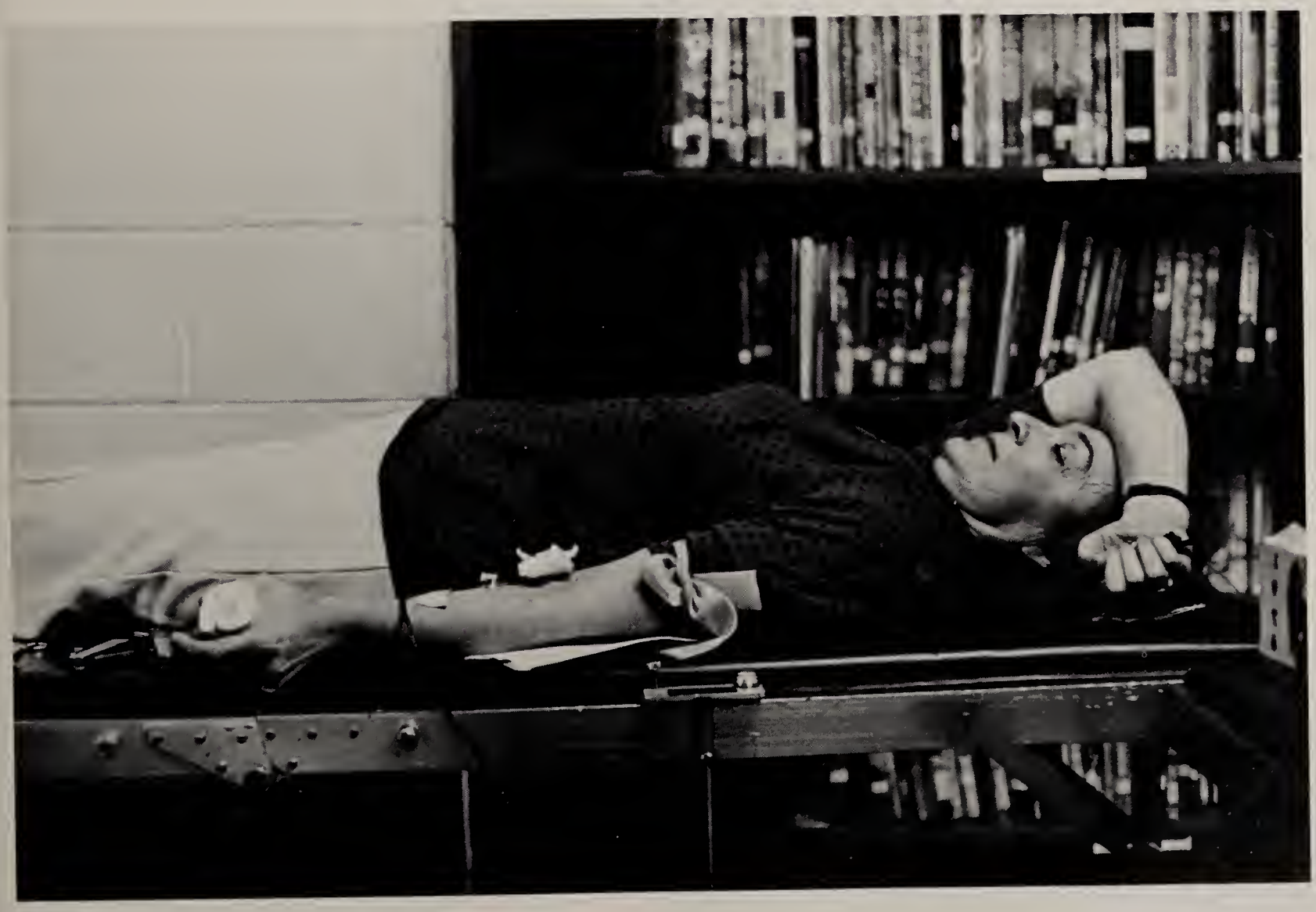
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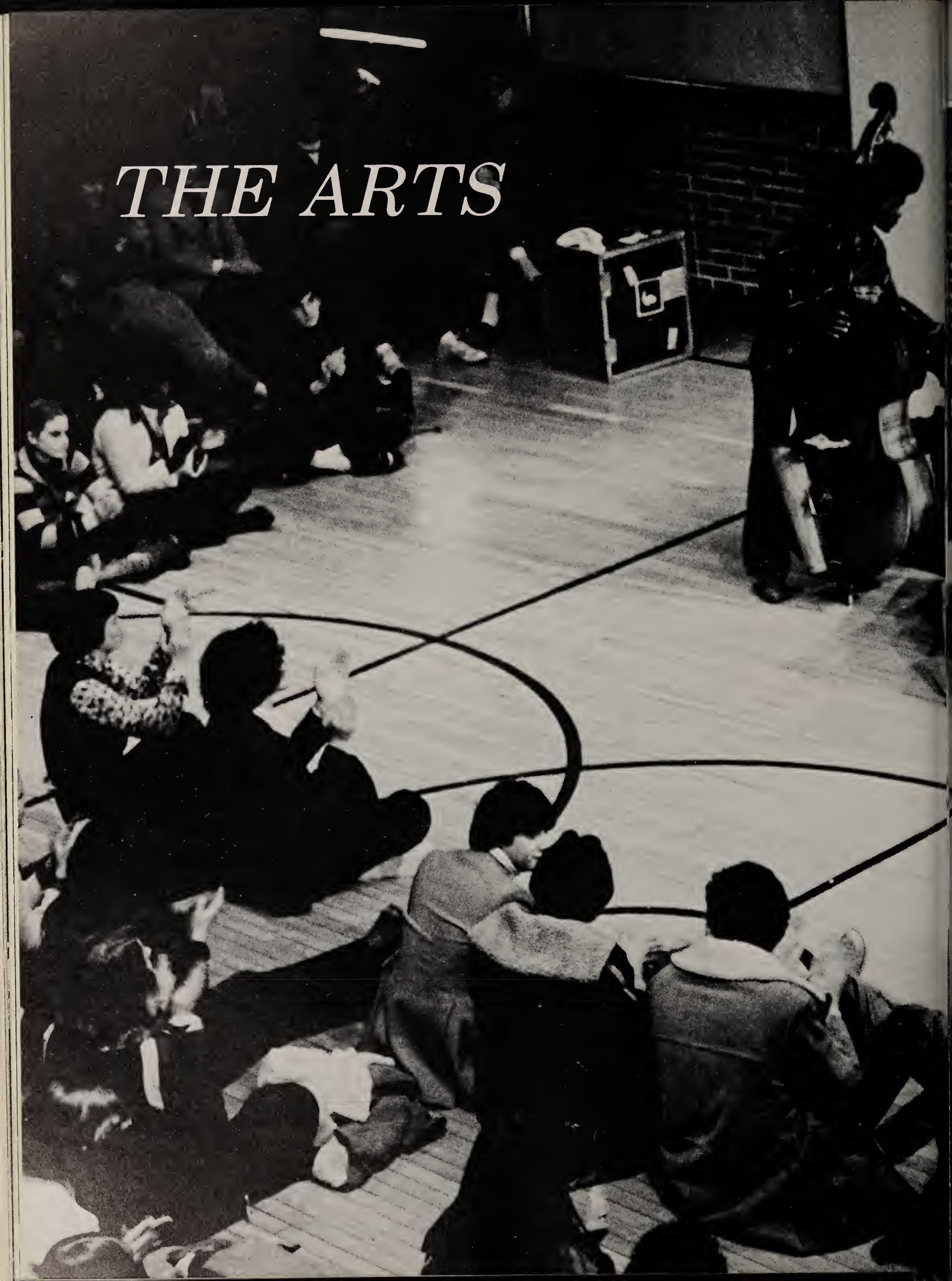








THE ARTS



MARY LOU WILLIAMS AT FRIENDS JANUARY 31, 1977

MUSIC MAKERS





JAZZ BAND

Matt Belman
Mike Carey
Miss Laura Frankfort
Gary Futterman
Danny Gleitman
Billy Nichols
Jim Perkins
Amy Schmidt
Jon Spinello





" . . . Most of the members of the band have been playing together for three years.
This makes the band more of a team than a club - a team playing a game of music."

RECORDER GROUP
Alicia Freese
Bruce Pill
Liz Relli
Meg Rose
Ellen Westermann



UPPER SCHOOL BAND
Matt Belman
Mike Carey
Gary Futterman
Benjy Gleitman
Danny Gleitman
Ellen Goodwin
Patty Groome
Cynthia Guidi
Alice Irwin
David Mandel
Michelle Meyers
Bill Nichols
Melia Parchman
Jim Perkins
Doug Peterson
Amy Schmidt
Jon Spinello
Marian Tilton

A CAPPELLA AND CHAMBER



SOPRANOS

*Alison Blaney
Karen Capobianco
*Allison Davis
Elizabeth Dillof
*Meg Flynn
Cynthia Guidi
*Penny Mealing
Caroline Olko
Lisa Sklover

ALTOS

*Sharon Beckhard
Leslie Garner
Susan Giordano
*Allison Haack
Sara Klocke
*Eileen Sweeney
*Heather Vuillet
Jerilyn Zulli

TENORS

David Hlavsa
Michael Lagana
Paul Meade
*Douglas Peterson
*Barden Prisant
Joe Putter
*Paul Rosta
*James Shirley

* CHAMBER CHOIR

CHOIRS

"I've been lucky that music has been a part of my life."



CHOIRMASTER

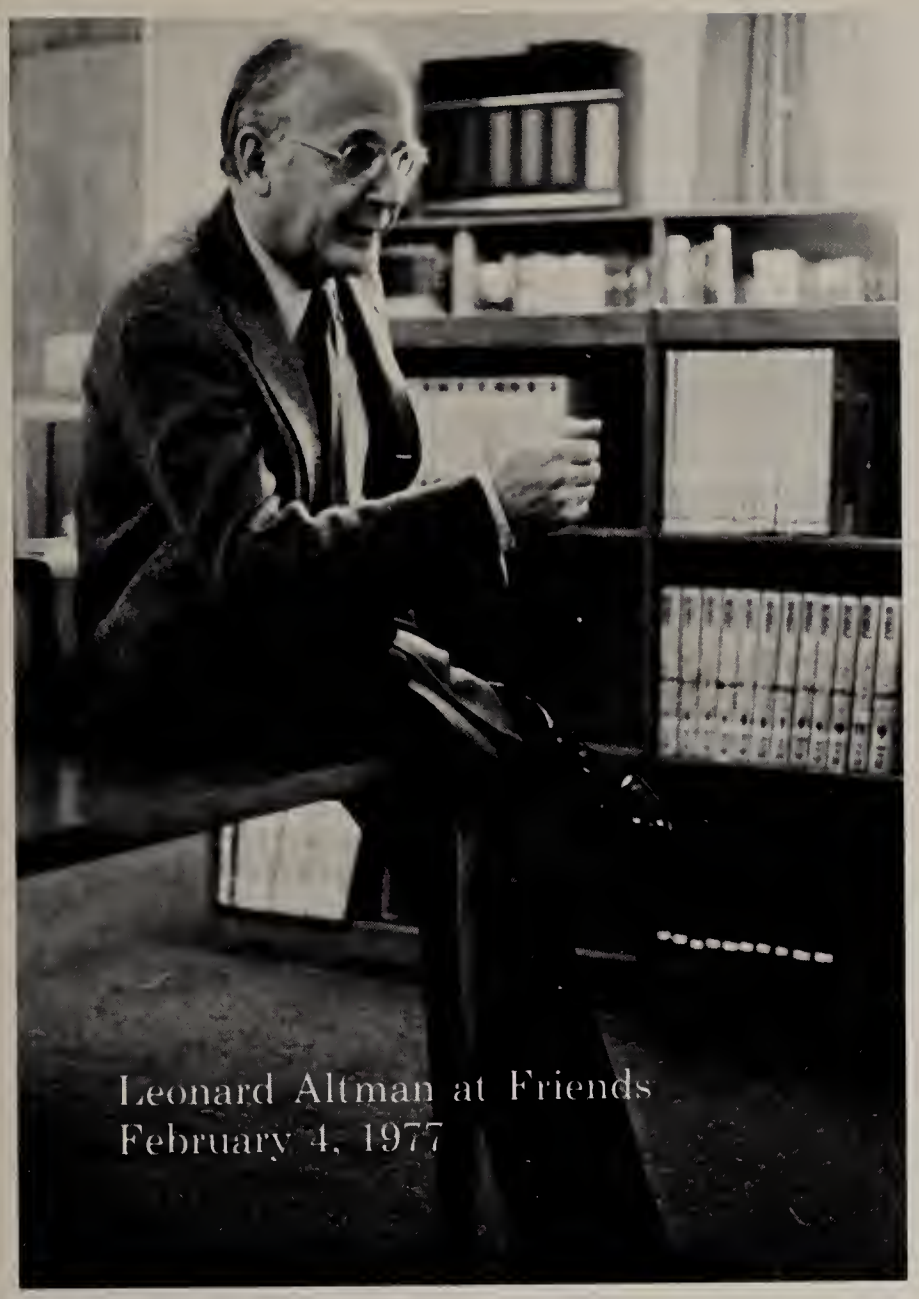
Mr. Arthur F. O'Hanlon

BASSES

Richard Allison
Marcin Chadzynski
*Wayde Cooper
*Eric Guidi
Justin Kaufman
*Billy Nichols
Barry Pailet
*Ed Silver







Leonard Altman at Friends
February 4, 1977

" . . . The thing that made the greatest impression on me was the discussion about the interrelationships of the various artistic media."



THE TIME OF YOUR LIFE





THE PLAYERS

Paul Rosta
Nina [illegible]rdi
P[illegible]
James Worby
Lisa Sklover
Jennifer Thayer
Ed Silver
Margaret M. Flynn
David Hlavsa
Charlie Pohl
Michael Salzhauer
Eileen Sweeney
Greg Gavin
Sara Klocke
Kevin Dubin
Doug Peterson
Amanda Walpin
Harry Dreizen
Louis Devendittis
Donna Imbesi
Lynn Gardner
Liz Platzman
Alison Blaney
Margaret Irwin
Martin W. Chadzynski

Directed By
Jordan Hornstein



" . . . There seems to be something that
keeps you going throughout the rehearsals,
though sometimes it looks as if the show will
never be a success. But at the
first minute of the play, something magical occurs,
and it all comes together."

" . . . You work so hard to perform those two nights, and it's
all over so quickly. After the applause dies down
and you go downstairs and are greeted by your friends
and family, you realize it has all been worth it."



Barbara Tarbuck at Friends
February 2, 1977

" . . . In dance every moment is a magic one."



Stuart Hodes and Dancers
Rachael Harms, Stephen Goldbas, Mitzi Maxwell, Kenneth Tosti



At Friends
February 1, 1977







Ralph Rosenblum at Friends
February 3, 1977

" . . . It makes sense that the editor is vital
to the success of a movie, since he decides what 'takes'
to use and has a lot to do
with the timing of events and lines."





" . . . Photography is a way
to reach outward and inward
at the same time—
outward by making the image and inward
by trying to find something inside
oneself that can merge with that image."



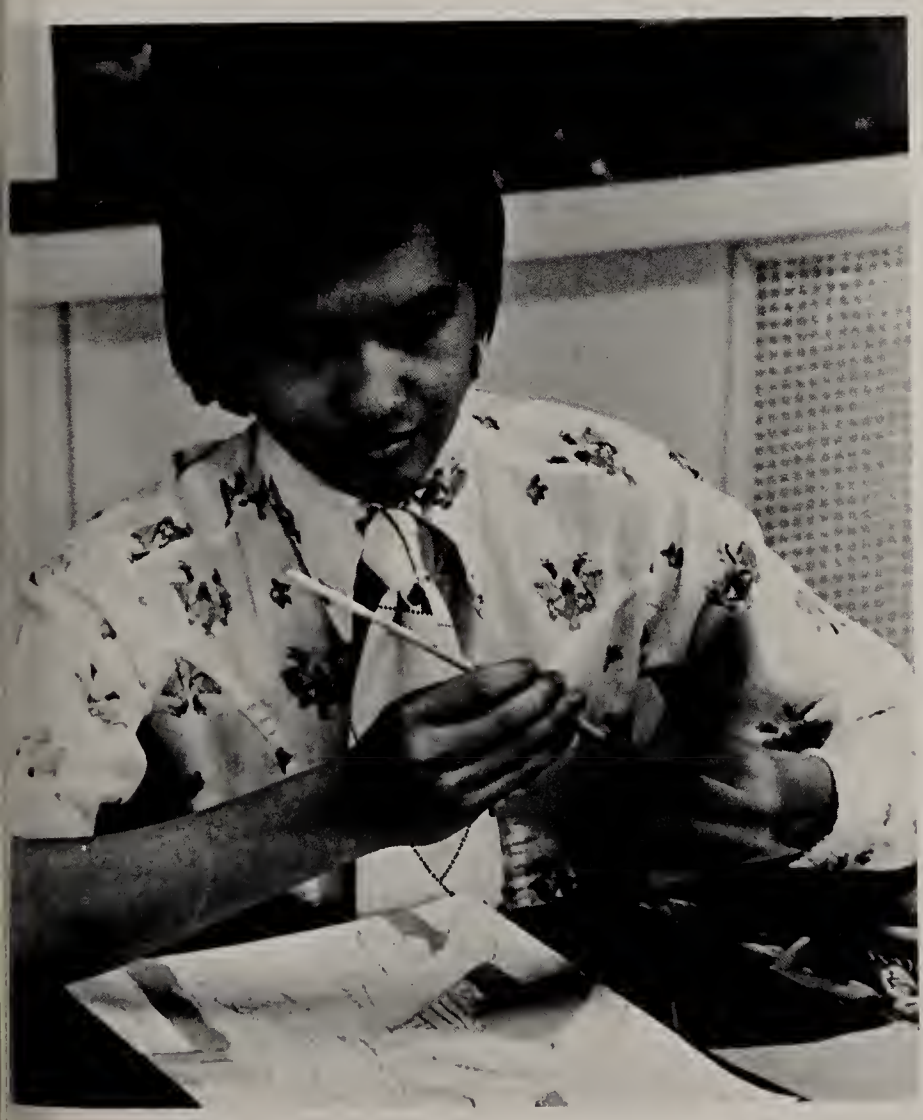






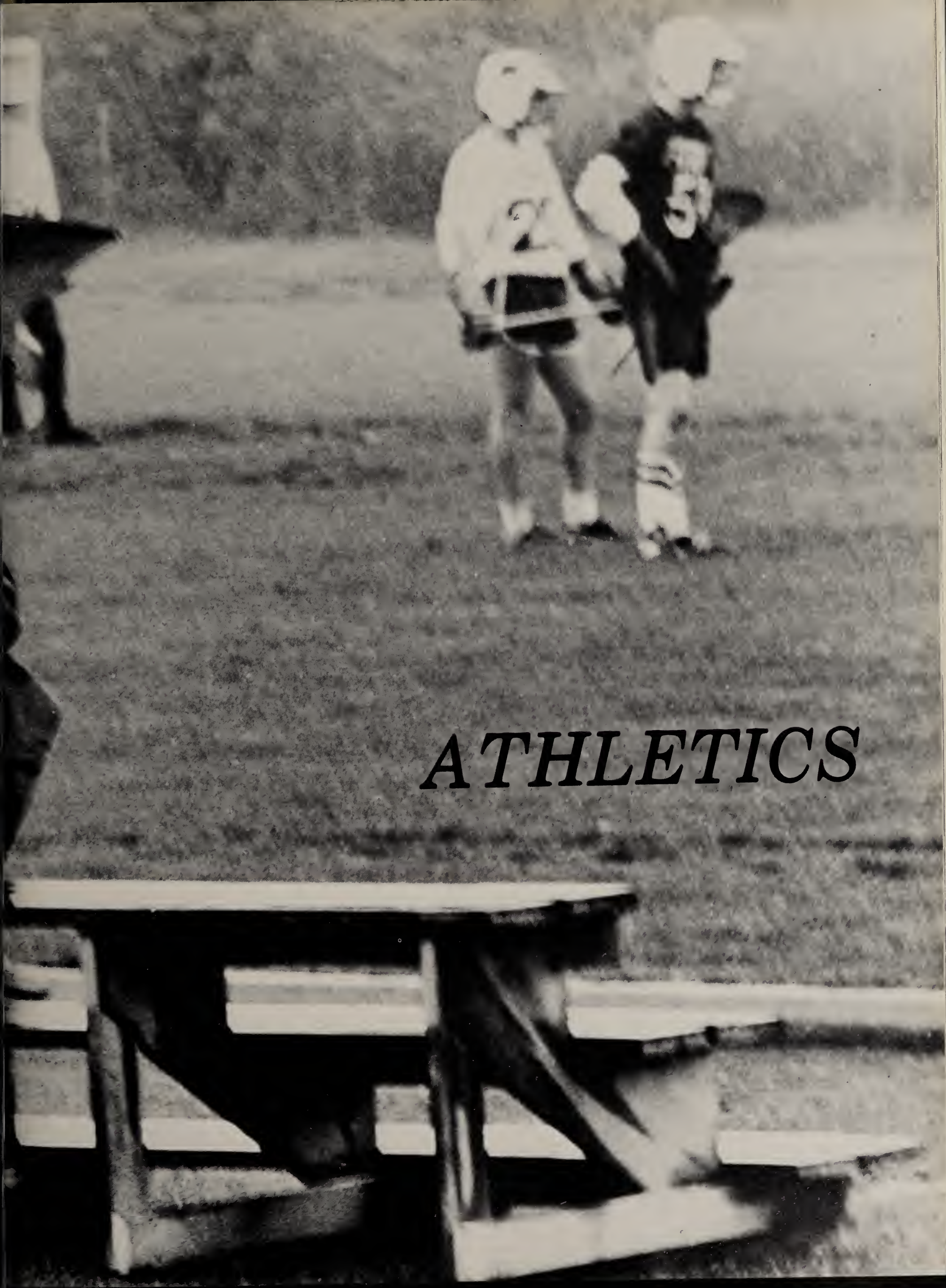
" . . . Art is an expression of that intangible thing that we call soul."

. . . It's mine and I've done it, and it gives me a sense of pride."









ATHLETICS





SPRING . . .





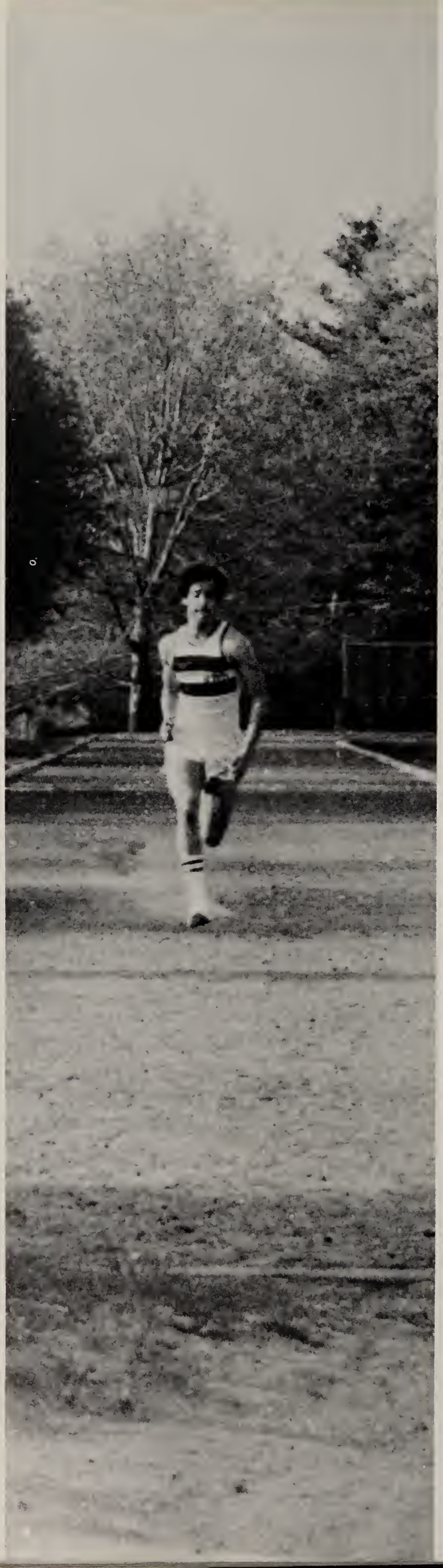
WHEN OUR FANCIES TURN TO . . .



SOFTBALL . . . BASEBALL . . .



LACROSSE . . . GOLF . . . TENNIS . . .



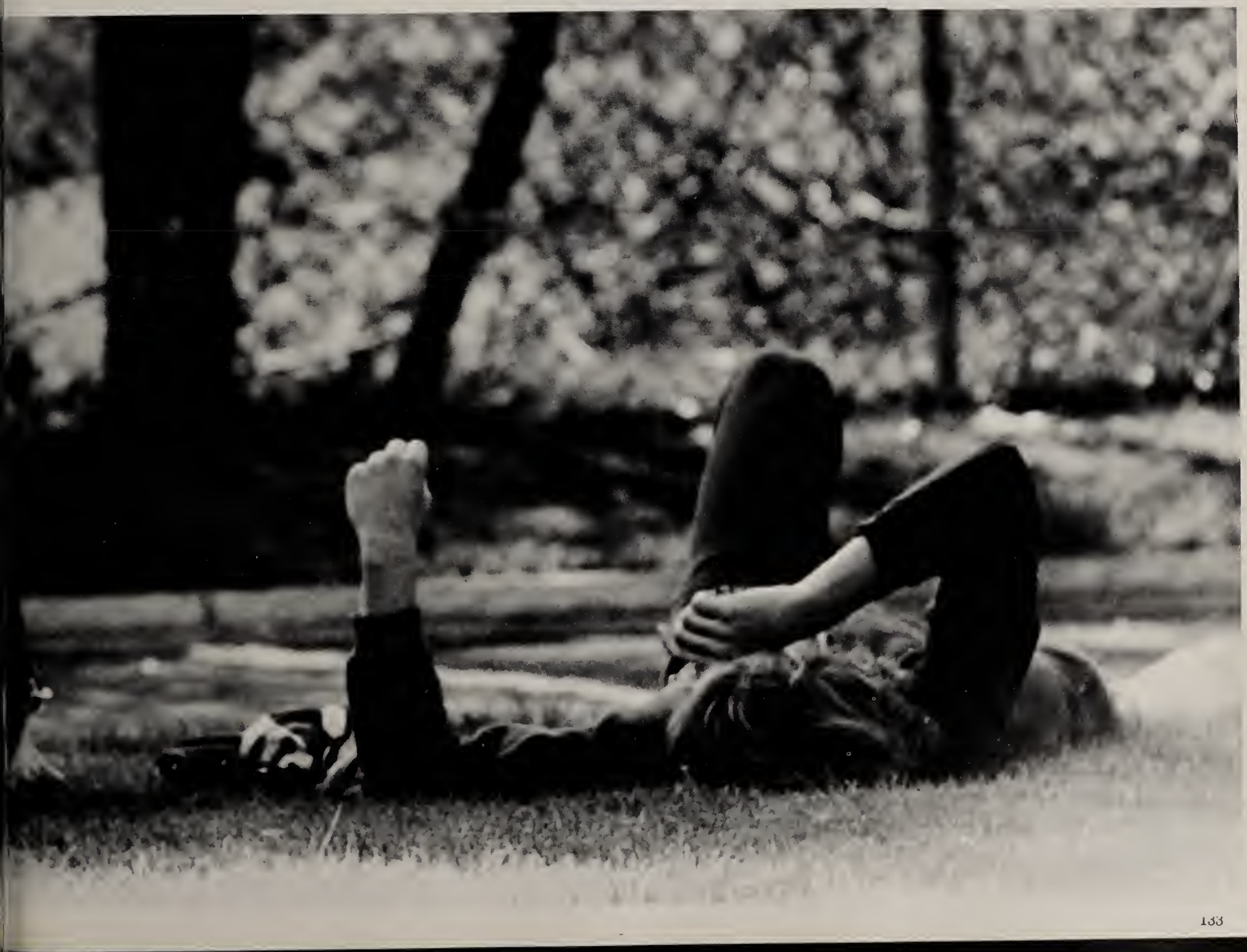
TRACK



Too often in past yearbooks spring sports coverage has been characterized by such anachronisms as golfers in the snow and theoretical teams bundled up against the icy onslaught of winter winds. The *Centennial Lamp* begins a new tradition.

A final deadline in February makes accurate portrayal of spring activities impossible. We present here a collage of spring sports activity, hoping that it stirs fond memories. Watch for full coverage of 1977 spring activities and events in the *1978 Lamp*.

AND FIELD



FACULTY VS. VARSITY

A FAREWELL TO SHINS

'Twas on a raw November day when wind and
cold were biting,
That the F.A. Faculty Hockey Team went
out to start the fighting.
Steve Fiske showed up but went back in to
grab a pair of mittens;
It was so cold that Alec Dick was
starting to have kittens.
Sal Vuillet showed and touched her toes
and shouted, "Let's get going."
Bob Cressey stayed back in the goal
while Sanborn played with class;
Liz Roosevelt came on the scene and said,
"They shall not pass."
Luongo started hitting with his stick
and getting wild;
Kal Wynot said, "Be careful, Jim," then
scratched his head and smiled.
The game went on despite the freeze,
Bet Hummerstone was sighing,
"If this game isn't over soon, I
think that I'll start crying."
The Richardson was playing tough
along with Graham and Doyle;
Abbene chanted full of glee, "The
Varsity we'll spoil."
But when the shadows lengthened and
the scoring was still nil,
The epic game had ended giving all a
hairy thrill.

Charlie Pohl







From left to right. Back row: Roger Richardson, Lesley Graham, Elizabeth Roosevelt, Tina Hummerstone, Marilyn Doyle, Sally Vuillet, Dick Abbene. Front row: Gene Hamilton, Jeff Sanborn, Bob Cressey, Jim Luongo, Steve Fiske, Kal Wynot.





From left to right. Laying down: Jim Shirley; Bottom row: Brad Bjorklund, Peter Rubin, Charlie Pohl, Arthur Walczyk, Mark Janoska, Ling Li, Patrick Diaz, Mark Diamond, Duncan Riefler, Jeff Pill; Standing: Coach Hamilton, Richard Allison, Steve Newlin (manager), Ed Silver, Billy Nichols, Chris Arrau, Charlie Meade (manager), Justin Kaufman, Griff McNair, Rick Jordan, Jordan Grabel, Guy Spencer, David Cohen, Mike Greene, Paul Meade, Frank Lytle, Coach Seibert, Dean Tasman; Not Pictured: Darren Berger.

SOCCER—A SYMPHONY OF

The 1976 edition of the Friends Academy soccer team enjoyed a successful season, registering convincing shutouts over powerful Woodmere and Chaminade, on the way to tying for the M.A.A.P.S. championship.

The real story this year is the spirit and determination that guided the Quakers to the title. Although this year's team lacked the skills of the superstars who led Friends to previous championships, they managed to overcome this shortcoming with the most extraordinary hustle, spirit, and desire that coach Ward Siebert has witnessed.

The season had sentimental overtones in that several seniors were in Coach Siebert's first Omega class seven years ago. Through the years Mr. Siebert has seen them mature as individuals as well as athletes.

VARSITY SCOREBOARD

Martin Luther	3-2	Woodmere	1-0
Chaminade	1-0	Collegiate	1-0
Dalton	4-2	St. Pius	2-3
Statin Island	0-2	Portledge	2-3
Fieldston	3-2	Loyola	1-0
St. Anthony's	0-4	Lawrence	0-1
Englewood	2-0	Staten Island	1-1



From left to right. Bottom row: Peter Stein, Dean Kawi, Jeff Lincoln, Joe Borini, Bob Simpson; Middle row: Peak Mahaguna, Mark Bodack, Tod Aufiero, David Feinerman, Dan Burnside; Top row: Marcin Chadzynski, Bart Walker, Sonny Marner, Jeff Schneider, Coach Wynot.

SPEED ... SWEAT ... SKILL ...



From left to right. Bottom row: Richard Cohen, Evan Deoul, Max Buhler, Patrick Newbery; Middle row: Jim Chaddick, Scott Ikle, James Worby, Wayne Gilden; Top row: Steven Lifton, Greg Conway, Coach Wynot, David Ludwig, Bruce Pill.







... AND SPAM








FRIENDS
MOUNTAIN

From left to right. Kneeling: Managers John Winner and Nick Kolovos. Bottom Row: Phil Jordan, David Hanley, Pat Coleman, Mark Comyns, Ken Mills, Jon Perkins, Glenn Kramer, Doug Peterson, Carl Cohan, Jon Spinello. Second Row: Coach Luongo, Coach Umbria, Bill Morrison, Chauncey Jackson, Justin Gavin, Tom Hawkins, Alan Gioia, Andy Furgatch. Third Row: Coach Vessichelli, Carl Simpson, Craig Wheeler, Jim Perkins, Doug Schneider, Robbie Siegel, Michael Sengstaken, Scott Shaddock, Fourth Row: Doug Rodger, Terry Givan, Kevin Campbell, Doug Zang, James Maiden. Top Row: Billy Wonder, Harry Dreizen, Frank Orzechowski, David Sengstaken, Greg Peirez, Jack Hawkins, Alan Wait, Greg Malloy. Not Pictured: Mike Ainbinder, Dave Shapiro, Greg Gavin, Jim Lavin.

GRIDIRON GUTS...

Cheerleading, despite popular belief, is not all play. The F.A. cheering squad devotes many an afternoon to working on new cheers or improving old ones. On the field the girls display their hard work by leading cheers which spark excitement and relay the thrill of the crowd.

Liz Dillof Nina Riccardi

Liz Watts Roxanna Holmes Alison Blaney







VARSITY FOOTBALL SCOREBOARD

Stonybrook	8 - 28
Dalton	6 - 6
Englewood	24 - 0
Riverdale	8 - 21
Roslyn	14 - 33
Lutheran	0 - 14
Fieldston	12 - 8

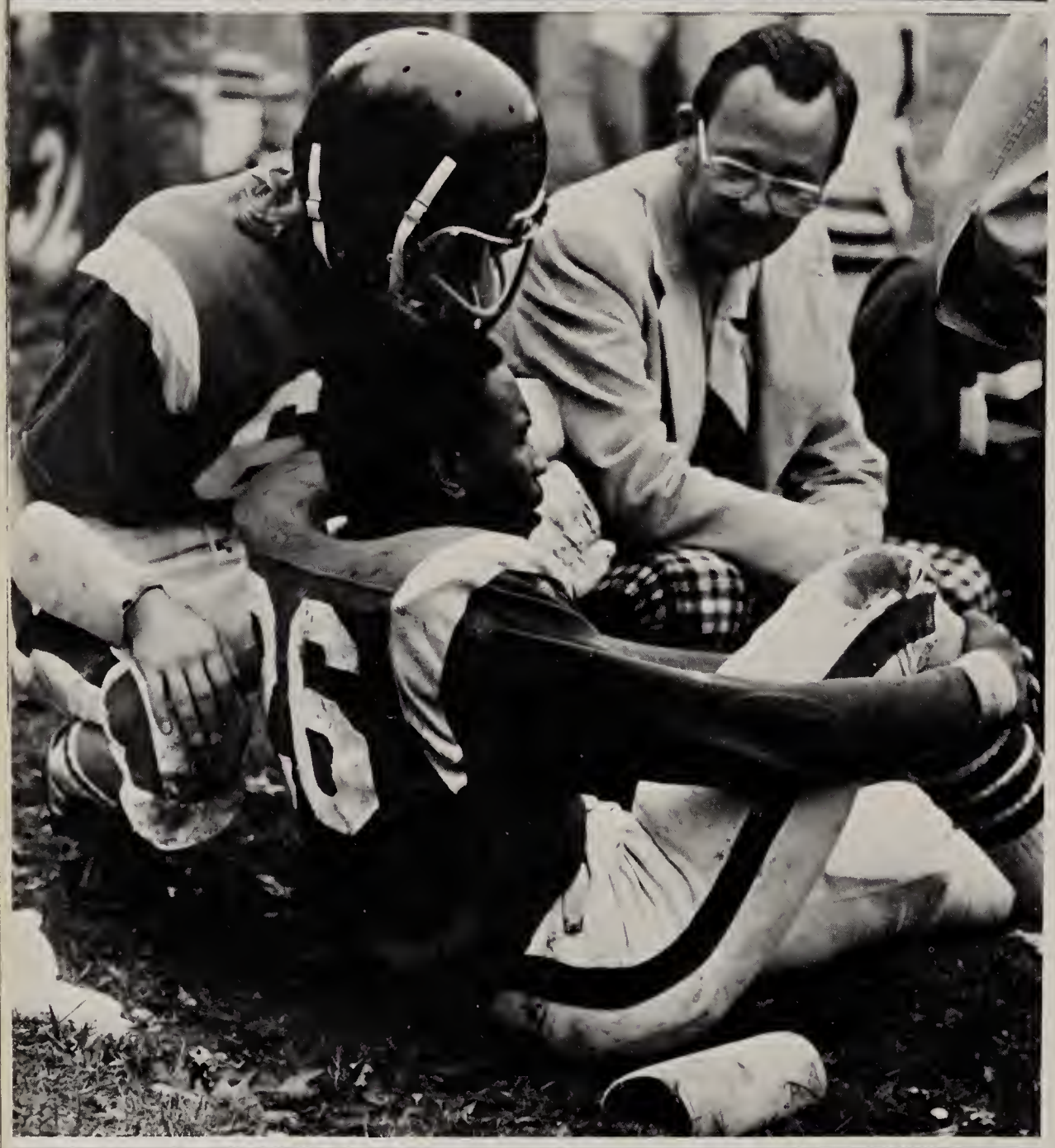
Football, only one of the exciting spectator sports at Friends, regularly attracts fans on fall afternoons. Although the team's final record indicates that they had a disappointing season, there was one thing this year's team never lost—its pride.

Isabel Kaplan Robin Soffer Donna Imbesi Margaret Irwin

Amy Messing Lorna Lee Lori Blodnick Liz Leach Barbara Bartlett Sarah Klocke













...IN ACTION









Coach Graham, Heather Vuillet, Ann Weiss, Jane Colombo, Kristen Fullam, Lynn Gardner, Jerilyn Zulli, Amy Schmidt, Janet Bruckner, Vicky Neville, Alice Wade, Liz Hagan, Kathleen Vuillet, Katie Deregibus, Coach Wade.

FANTASTIC FIELD FINESSE

The Varsity Field Hockey Team has been a source of pride to Friends Academy because of its outstanding twelve year record: 106 wins, 2 losses, and 4 ties; the last five years being undefeated seasons. The source of this record is a series of experienced and competent teams. The most difficult games this past year were against Carle Place and Wheatley, the public school champs. Both games resulted in a struggle to 1-1 ties. Perhaps the best game of the entire season was played against Waldorf, supposedly the best private school team on Long Island. Our team triumphed, 4-0. The team's greatest asset was its ability to work together to achieve this goal.

VARSITY SCOREBOARD

Carle Place	1-1
Fieldston	5-1
Baldwin	2-0
North Shore	1-0
Wheatley	1-1
Kew Forest	6-0
Martin Luther	4-0
Waldorf	4-0
Staten Island	2-1
Portledge	4-1
Lutheran	7-0







HOCKEY - J.V. STYLE

IN THE WINNING



From left to right. Front row: Diane Kalnins, Susan Thomas, Debbie Passerini, Nancy Seligson. Back row: Catherine Copp, Karen Capobianco, Julie Stevenson, Susan Benisch, Holly Carobene, Marion Tilton. Not pictured: Jennifer Thayer, Bev Taylor, Cindy Willis, Lisa Gilden.





TRADITION





JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL
Left to right
Kneeling:
Doreen Moran
Susan Thomas
Leslie Garner
Pam Teitel
Top row:
Liz Ahern
Amanda Walpin
Kathy Moss
Mrs. Carbone
Not Pictured:
Melia Parchman
Jennifer Thayer

COURT ACTION

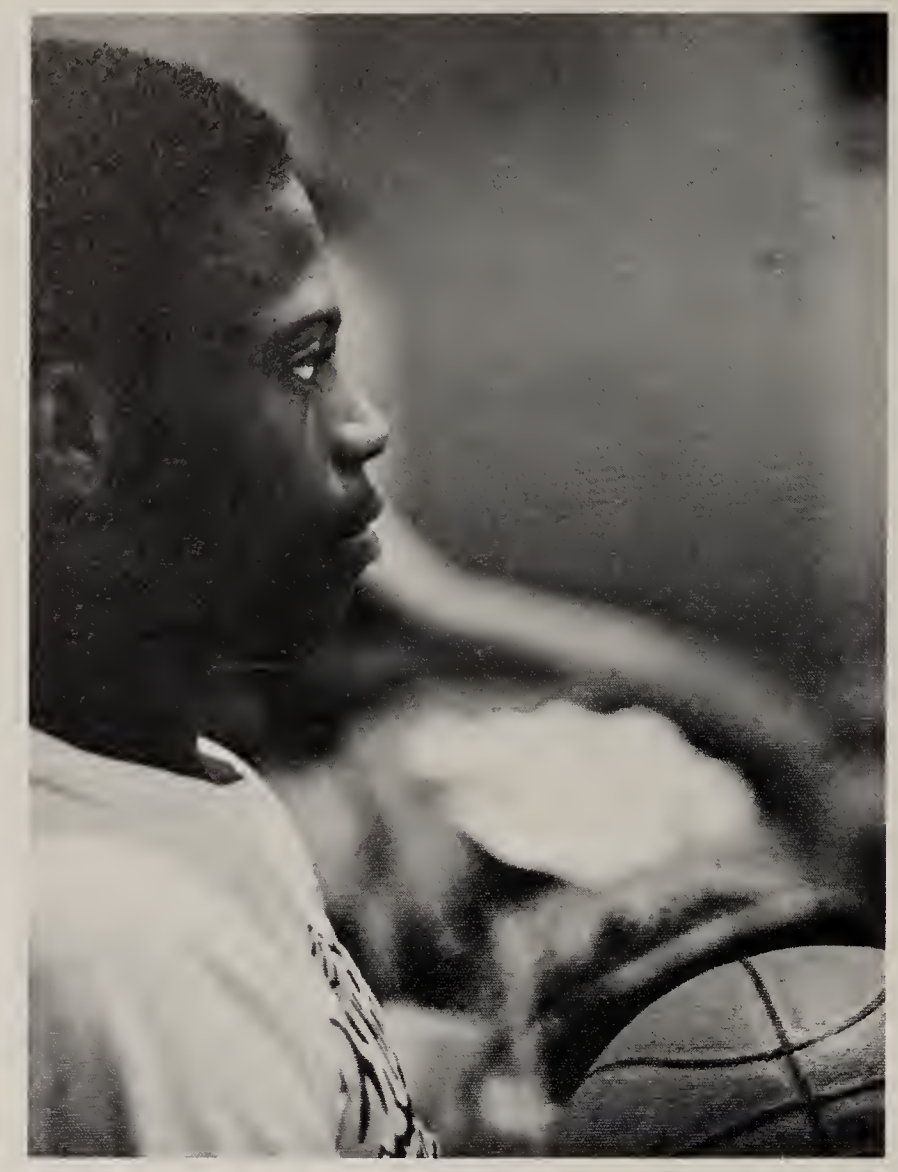






GIRLS VARSITY BASKETBALL
From left to right. Kneeling: Roxanna Holmes, Liz Hagan, Michelle Meyers, Penny Mealing, Melita Rines, Lori Washington. Standing: Coach Graham, Kris Fullam, Anne Hutchins, Gigi Powell, Karen Fullam.







VARSITY CHEERLEADERS
From left to right. Sitting: Nina Riccardi, Beth Shapiro. Kneeling: Liz Leach, Isabel Kaplan, Alison Blaney, Barbara Bartlett, Liz Dillof. Standing: Sara Klocke, Eileen Sweeney, Jackie Mykoff, Lori Blodnick.

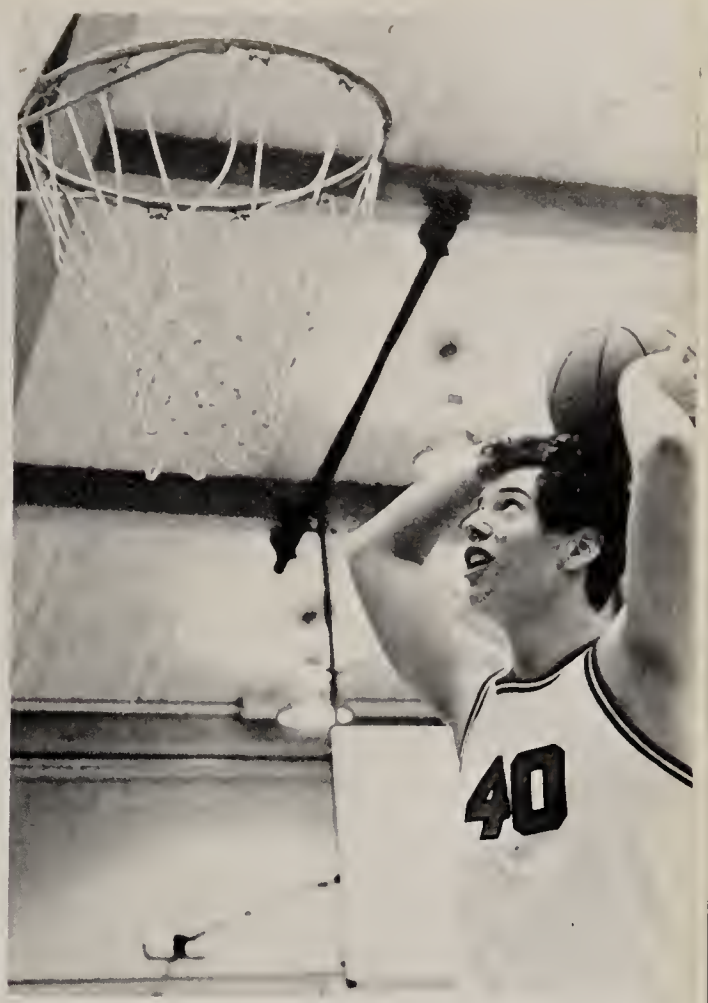
HOOPING IT UP



BOYS VARSITY BASKETBALL
From left to right. Kneeling: Gil Steiner, Phil Jordan, Steve Mills, Chuck Cooperstein, Jeff Pill. Standing: Coach Swartz, Rich Klein, Chauncey Jackson, Peter Blodnick, Craig Wheeler, Sonny Marner, Alex Bynum, John Epler, Carl Simpson, Manager David Feinerman.











JUNIOR VARSITY CHEER-LEADERS
Left to right:
Carolyn Kalnins
Cynthia Guidi
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JUNIOR VARISTY
BASKETBALL

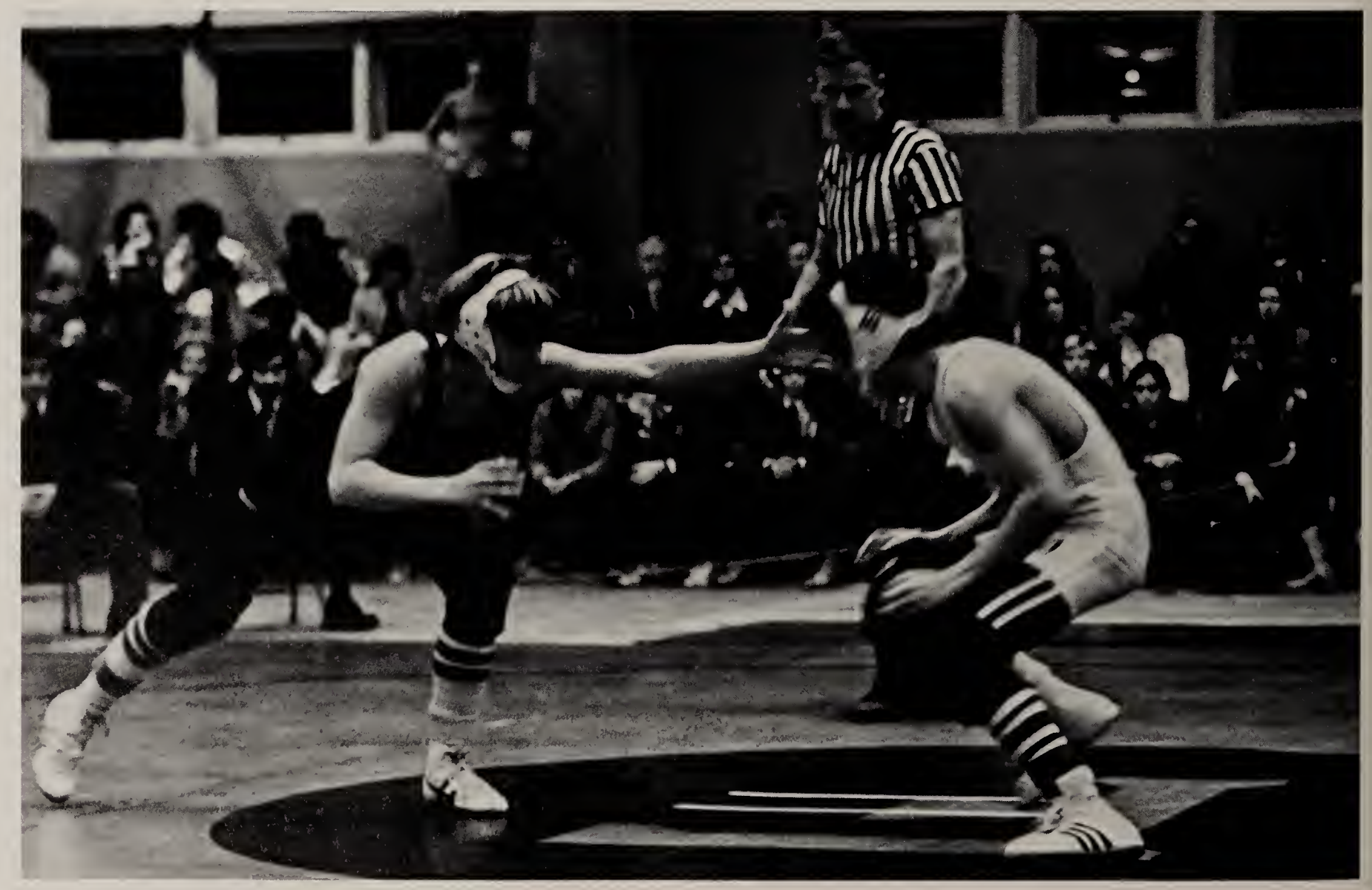
From left to right. Sitting: Coach Fiske. Kneeling: David Ludwig, Richard Cohen, Bruce Pill, Jimmy Rose, Kevin Campbell. Standing: Jerry Steiner, David Schlessinger, Tim Scheiwe, Glenn Kramer, Mike Ainbinder, Gerard Vecchio, Frank Lytle, Gary Futterman, Evan Deoul, Brad Bjorklund. Not pictured: Alex Bynum.





QUAKERS ON THE MOVE







UPPER SCHOOL WRESTLING
From left to right. Kneeling: Patrick Diaz, Joe Borini, Stephen Uhl, Jim Perkins, Scott Shaddock, Eric Saltzman, Cliff Fratello. Standing: Coach Vessichelli, Jon Perkins, Ken Mills, Bill Wonder, David Sengstaken, Bill Morrison, Coach Jacobson. Not pictured: Ted Leather, Dan Burnside, Charles Meade, Carl Cohan, Elliot Kassover, Griff McNair.





From left to right. Kneeling: Scott Benjamin, Jon Spinello, Bill Nichols, Bruce Pailet, Mike Teitel, Jim Allen, Barry Pailet, Bart Walker. Standing: Mark Janoska (Manager), Jeff Schneider, Paul Meade, Doug Schneider, Robbie Siegel, Bill Shea, Matt Belman, Tod Aufiero, Jon Mack, Mike Salzhauer, Lou DeLuca (Coach).

VARSITY AND







From left to right. Kneeling: Brian Lavin, Eric Slayton, John Gavin, Danny Fox, Philip Kaplan. Standing: Mike Salzhauer, James Worby, Benjy Gleitman Andy Seligson, Bill Dalton, Matt Belman, Danny Gleitman, Peter Levitt, John Cooper, Pat Newbery.

SUB-VARSITY ICEMEN







THE FRIENDS







OF THE FIELD

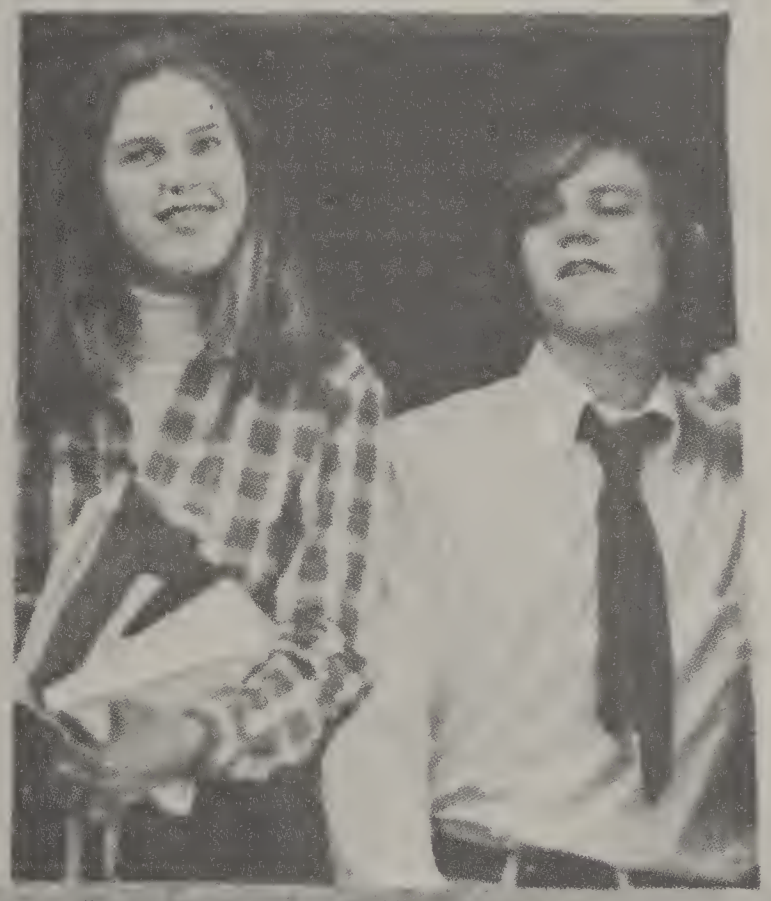






JORDAN GRABEL
KATIE DEREGIBUS
JANET BRUCKNER
CHRIS ARRAU

ACTIVITIES



There were twenty-one children in my kindergarten class at Friends in 1964. Four remain as part of a class of seventy-five seniors. In our thirteen years here, Katie, Janet, Chris, and I have witnessed tremendous change: two different headmasters, five different principals, and the additions of the Learning Center and faculty housing. But these changes, although important, are not the most significant or meaningful things to us. What we will always remember is how Friends helped us grow as people. We will remember the many different students and faculty who helped us in times of difficulty and shared our times of pleasure.

In each one of us lies the foundation that Friends Academy has built for our lives. Our many experiences here will remain with us forever.

Jordan Grabel

VARSITY CLUB
From left to right. Sitting: Mrs. Wade. Bottom row: Patrick Diaz, Heather Vuillet, Kristin Fullam, Janet Bruckner, Roxanna Holmes, Liz Hagan, Amy Schmidt, David Cohen, Michael Greene, Ken Mills. Top row: John Epler, Katie Deregibus, Peter Rubin.

FRENCH CLUB
From left to right. Bottom row: Jaye Ladinsky, Sara Klocke, Christine Olko, Barbara Bartlett, Meg Flynn, Mme. Sampsidis, Sharon Beckhard, Kavita Kamat, Chris Price, Alison Blaney, Liz Dillof. Middle row: Laurie Siegel, Stephanie Apt, Nancy Wheeler, Jerilyn Zulli, Debbie Sacken, Marcy Westerling, Tom Hawkins, Eric Guidi, Marianne Macy, Jane Colombo, Isabel Kaplan. Top row: Arthur Walczyk, Richard Allison, Marcin Chadzynski, Todd Stravitz.





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Bottom row: Duncan Riefler, Jon Spinello, Barry Pailet, Chauncey Jackson. Rear: Chuck Chaddick, Chuck Cooperstein, Carl Simpson, Paul Rosta, Ling Li, Phil Jordan, Matt Ladinsky.

RUSSIAN CLUB
From left to right. Sitting: Vanessa Fromm, Debbie Passerini, Eileen Sweeney, Dale Givan, Mme. Sampsidis, Debbie Sacken, Allison Davis, Harry Dreizen, Liz Dillof. Standing: Marcy Westerling, Meg Flynn, Ann Dupont, Justin Kaufman, Jeanne Jennings, Cynthia Guidi, Holly Carobene.





LATIN CLUB
From left to right. Bottom row: Emily Paulsen, Gigi Troy, Jennifer Thayer, David Hlavsa. Middle row: Brad Bjorklund, Mike Lagana, Miss Brucia, Paul Rosta, Jack Hawkins. Top row: Martha Brown, Melia Parchman, Doug Brandon, Angela Mariani, Anne Hutchins.



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From left to right. First row: Meg Flynn, Beth Shapiro, Leslie Garner, Liz Leach. Second row: Bruce Pailet, Jon Spinello, Barry Pailet, Billy Nichols, Liz Platzman, Amanda Walpin, Debbie Passerini, Joanna Parker, Marja Brandon, Barbara Bartlett. Third row: Mr. Luongo, Jim Allen, Diana Robinson, Jeri Zulli, Jon Mack, Jaye Ladinsky, Melia Parchman, Greg Gavin, Vanessa Fromm, Martha Brown, Lynne Mallory, Harry Parker.

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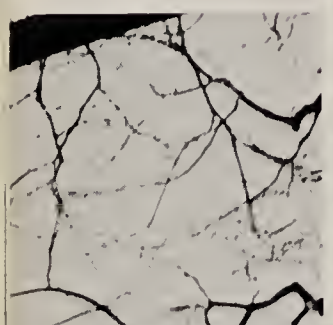


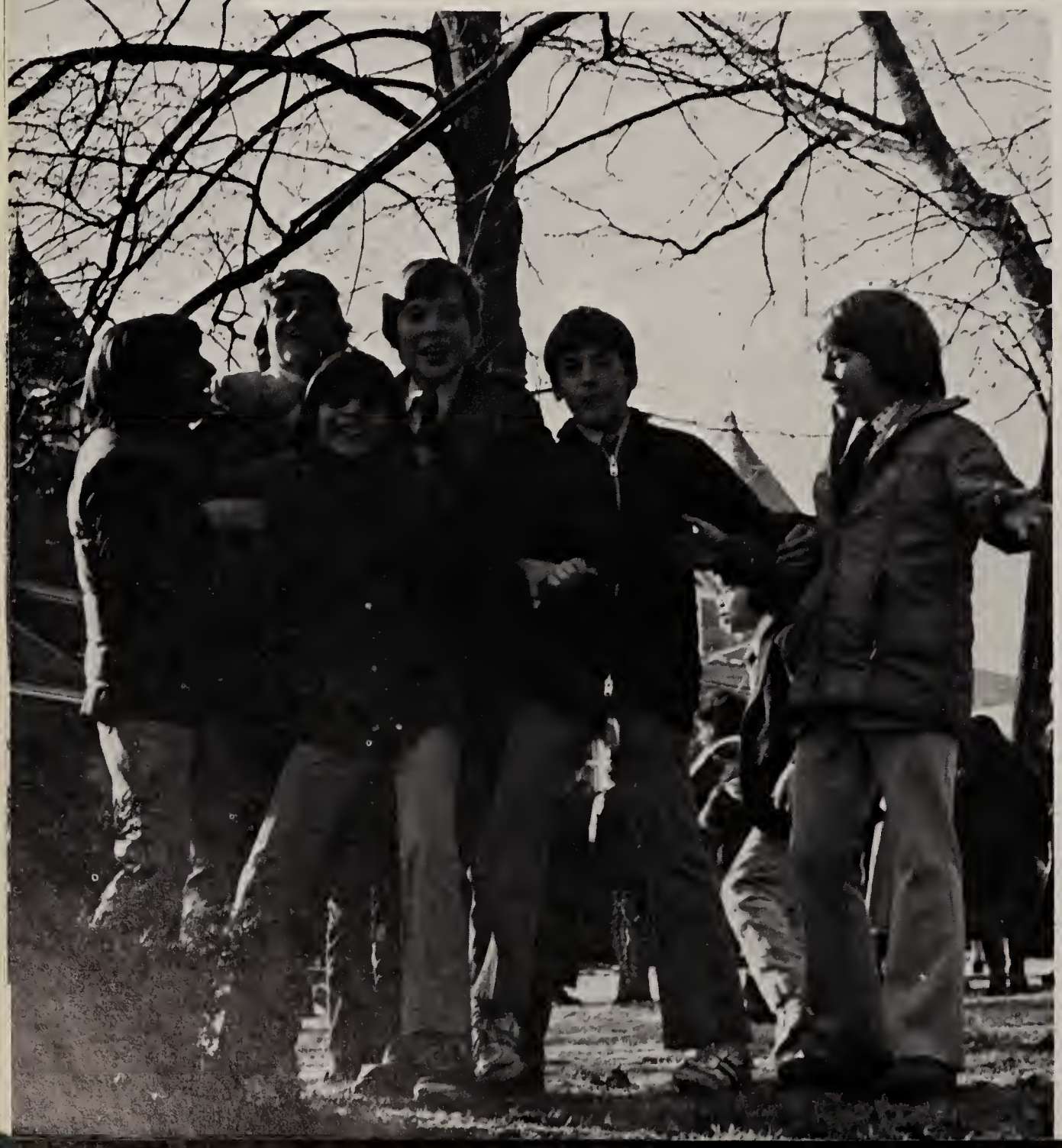
THE STOKES EXPERIENCE

"The trip to Stokes was educational and enjoyable in many ways. It taught group cooperation, participation, and respect. There were courses on wilderness survival. Through games and exercise, we felt togetherness."







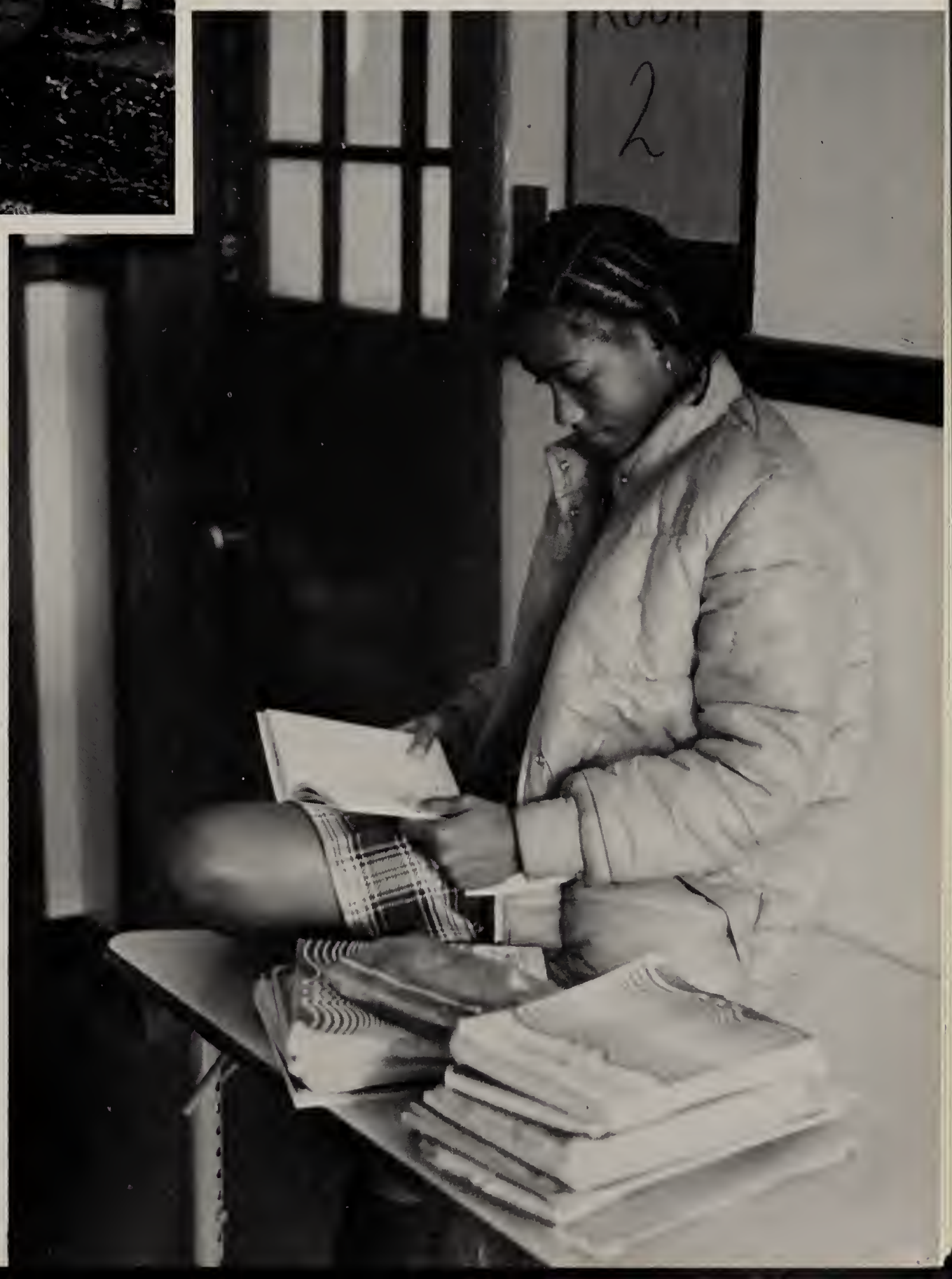


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WATCH OUT UPPER



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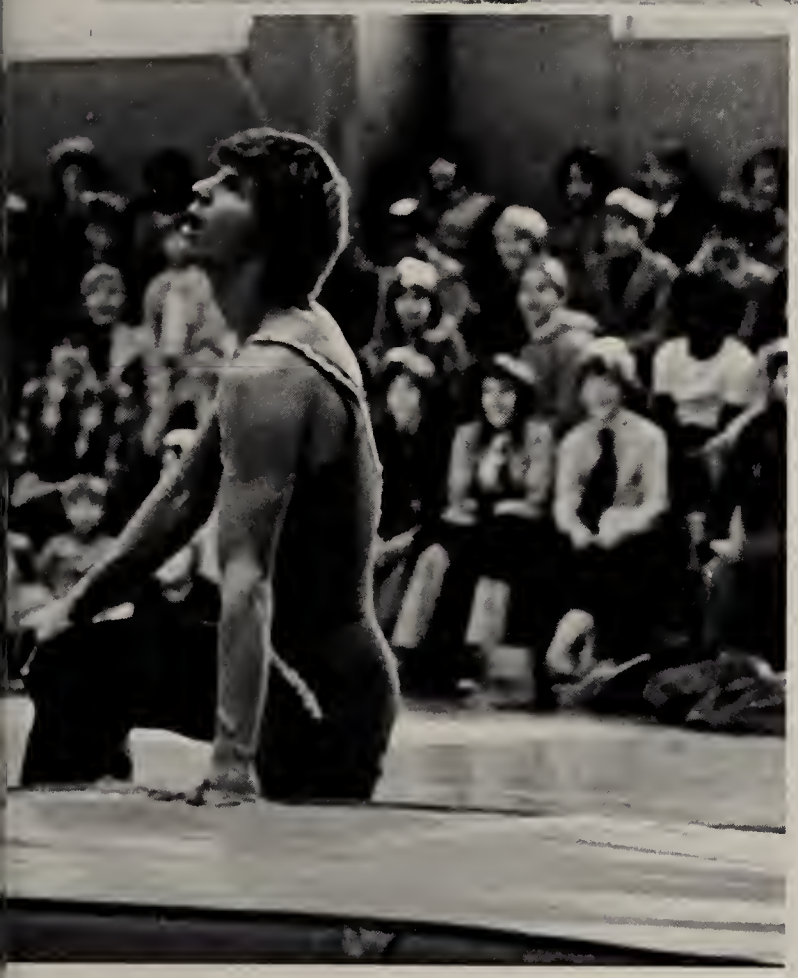


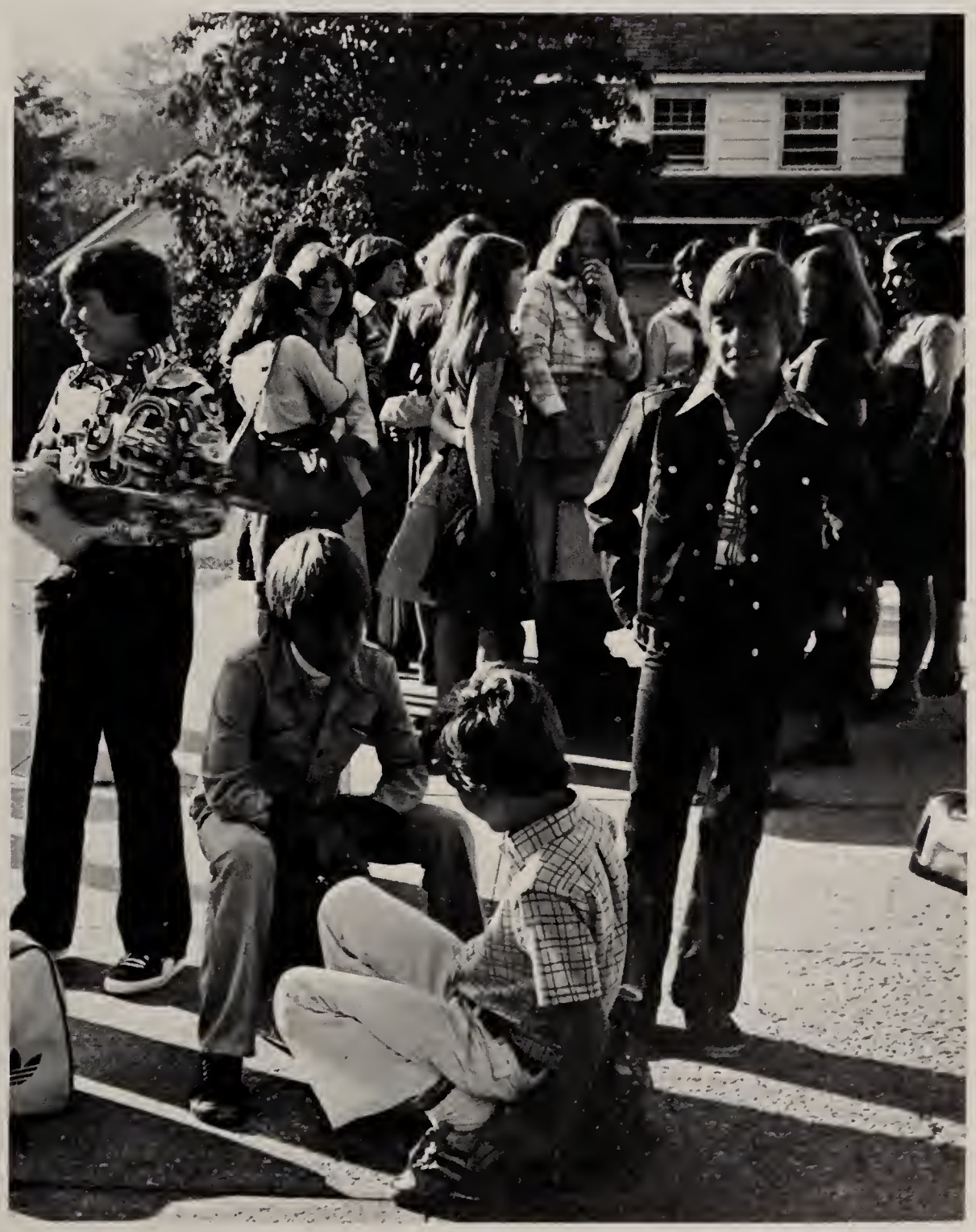
















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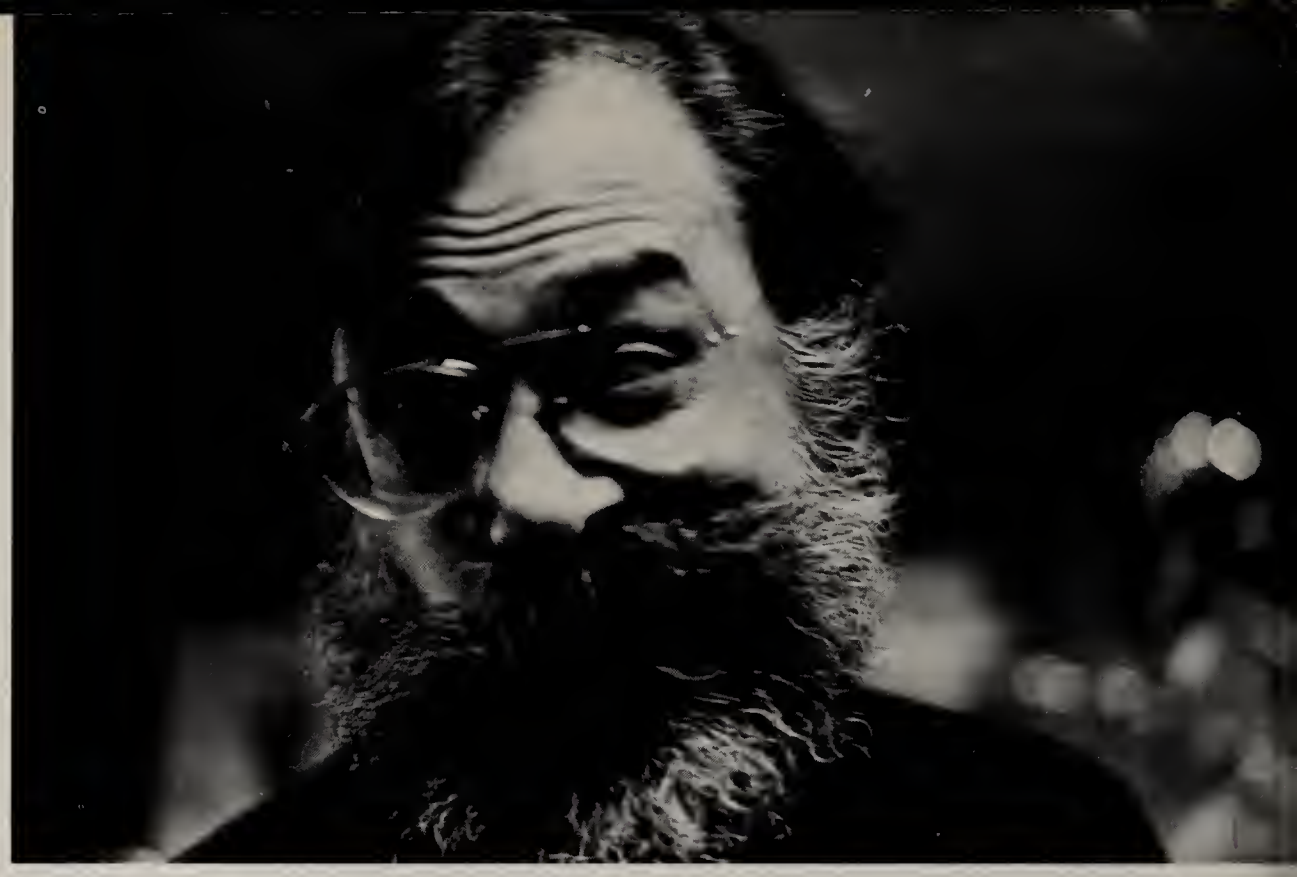


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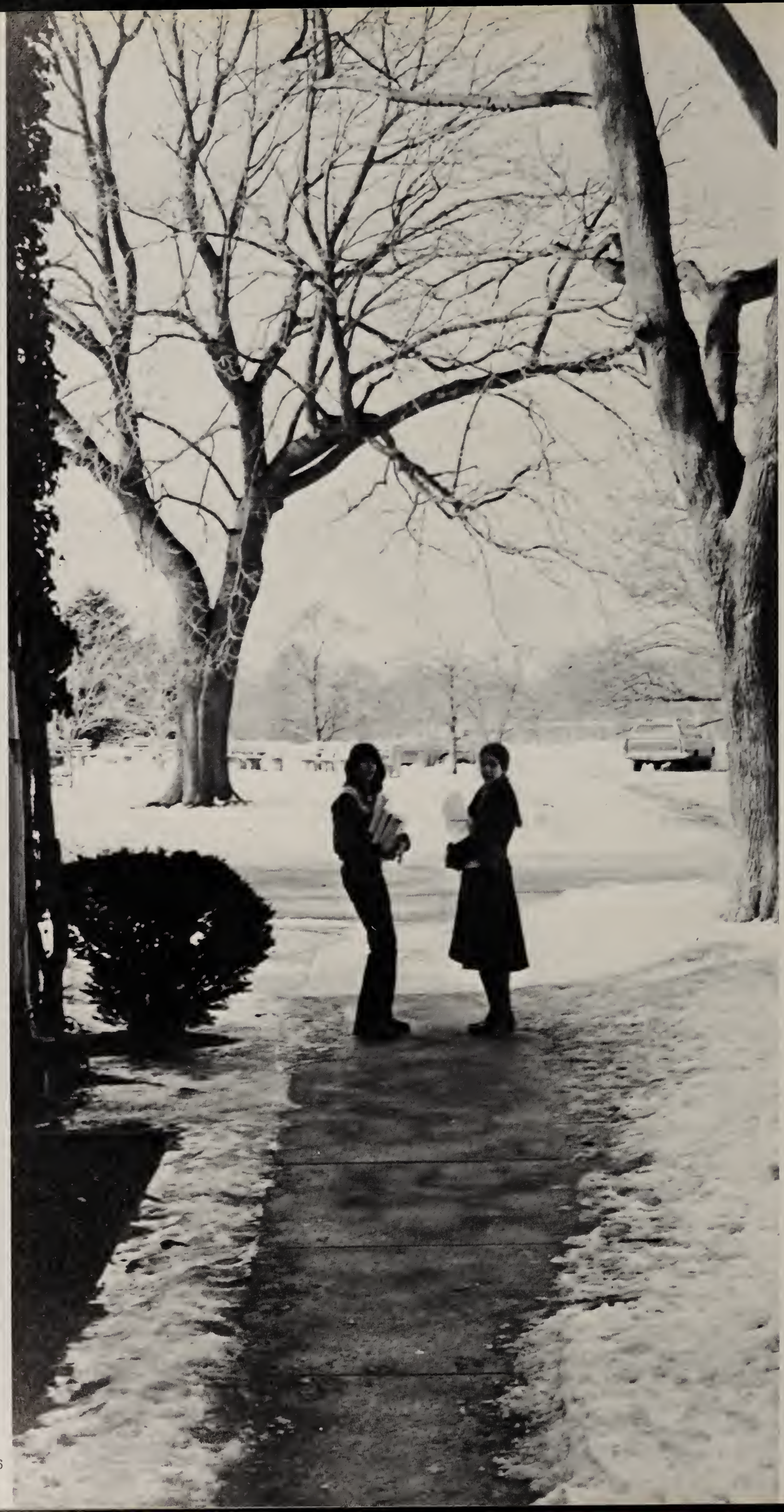
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MID-JET SOCCER





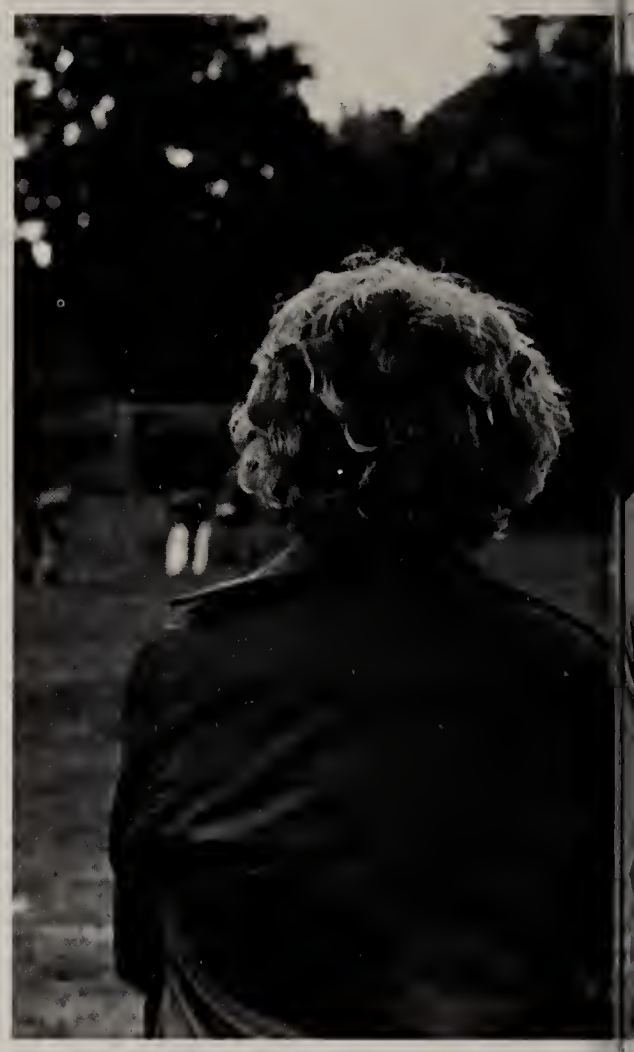
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B TEAM
From left to right: Front row: Neil Kotimsky, Brian Wilson, Ricky Thatcher, Doug Uhl, Evan Miranthopoulos, John McMorrow. Second row: Curtis Simmons, David Craig, Richard Dalbert, Brian Campbell, Anil Kamat, LeRoy Garner, Mike Martone. Third row: Coach Wynot, Andy Bott, Bill Andersen, John Mandel, Chris Dalton, David Geiger, Harris Leavitt, John Corcoran.

MID-JET





A TEAM
From left to right. Bottom row: Amy Hummerstone, Debra Match, Kay Diaz, Kathy Peters, Jamie Fortunoff. Top row: Miss Graham, Betsy Jordan, Katie Vanderkloot, Donna Cooper, Ingrid Schneider, Tracey Mitchell.



FIELD HOCKEY





B TEAM
From left to right. Bottom row: Anna Levitt, Jill Ritter, Robbin Mitchell, Melissa Belman, Laura Solinger, Top row: Pamela Sokolow, Ralphine Newlin, Katherine MacDonald, Ellen Goodwin, Denys Coleman, Delilah Markarian.





MID-JET FOOTBALL
From left to right. Front row: Stefan Tufano, Nick Kolovos, John Winner, Dale Shaddock, Chris Roberto, Louis Mazzella, Carl Schindler. Back row: Coach Vessichelli, Chip Sealy, Charles McElhone, Jamie McCall, Sam Brown, Rich Zoller, Coach Chubb.



MIGHTY MID-JETS







BOYS MID-JET WRESTLING
From left to right. Kneeling: Robert Fromm, Richard Dalbert, Michael Poloukhine, Doug Uhl, Dale Shaddock, Evan Miranthopoulous. Standing: Coach Chubb, Jamie McCall, Nick Kolovos, Harris Levitt, Chris Walters, Charles McElhone, Barclay Frey, David Bouchelle, Andy Messing, Coach Jacobson. Not pictured: David Geiger.

ON FIELD AND MAT



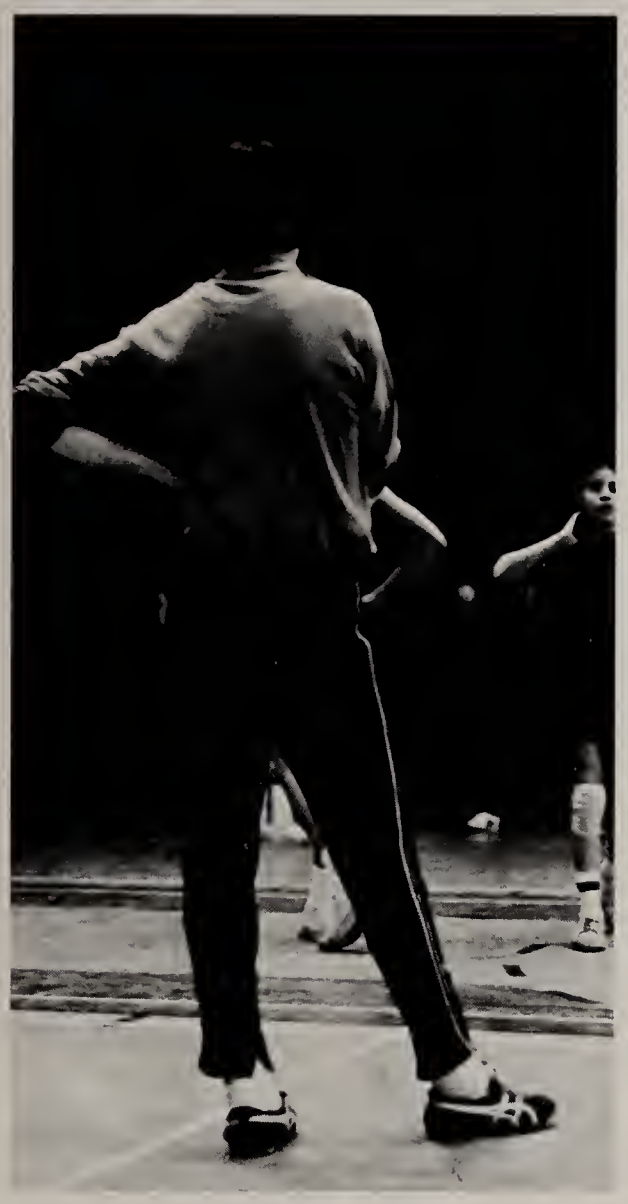
MID-JET MOMENTS



EIGHTH GRADE MID-JET BASKETBALL From left to right: Coach Wade, Delilah Markarian, Katherine MacDonald, Ellen Goodwin, Donna Cooper, Kay Diaz, Tracey Mitchell, Betsy Jordan, Katie Vanderkloot, Kathy Peters, Jamie Fortunoff, Nancy Mykoff, Denys Coleman, Carol Shapiro, Amy Hummerstone. Not Pictured: Amy Spinello.









MID-JET BASKETBALL B TEAM
From left to right. Kneeling: Mike Martone, Billy Schlicht, Anil Kamat, Bob Shea, Michael Imbesi. Standing: Louis Mazzella, Chip Sealy, Curtis Simmons, Matt Flynn, Andrew Stein, Coach Sanborn.





MID-JET BASKETBALL A TEAM
From left to right. Kneeling: Jimmy Hummerstone, Brian Campbell, Peter Gilden. Standing: Coach Austin, LeRoy Garner, Chris Roberto, Geoffrey Machover, Richard Zoller, Robert Blechman, Sam Brown.





SEVENTH GRADE
MID-JET BASKETBALL
From left to right:
Ellen Field,
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SLIDING INTO SPRING








QUAKER

US KINGDOM



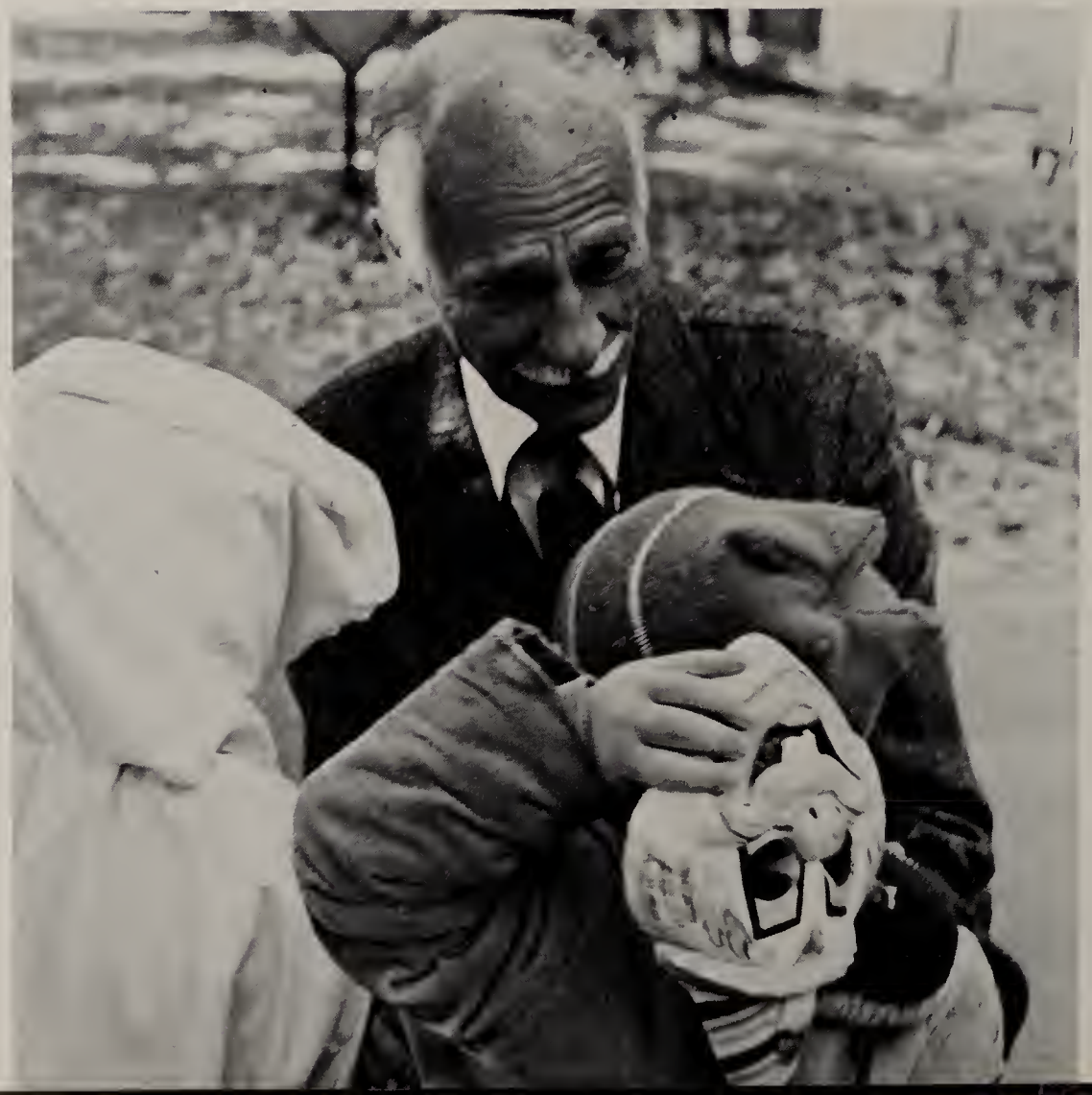


LOWER SCHOOL



PLAY GROUP

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PRE-KINDERGARTEN





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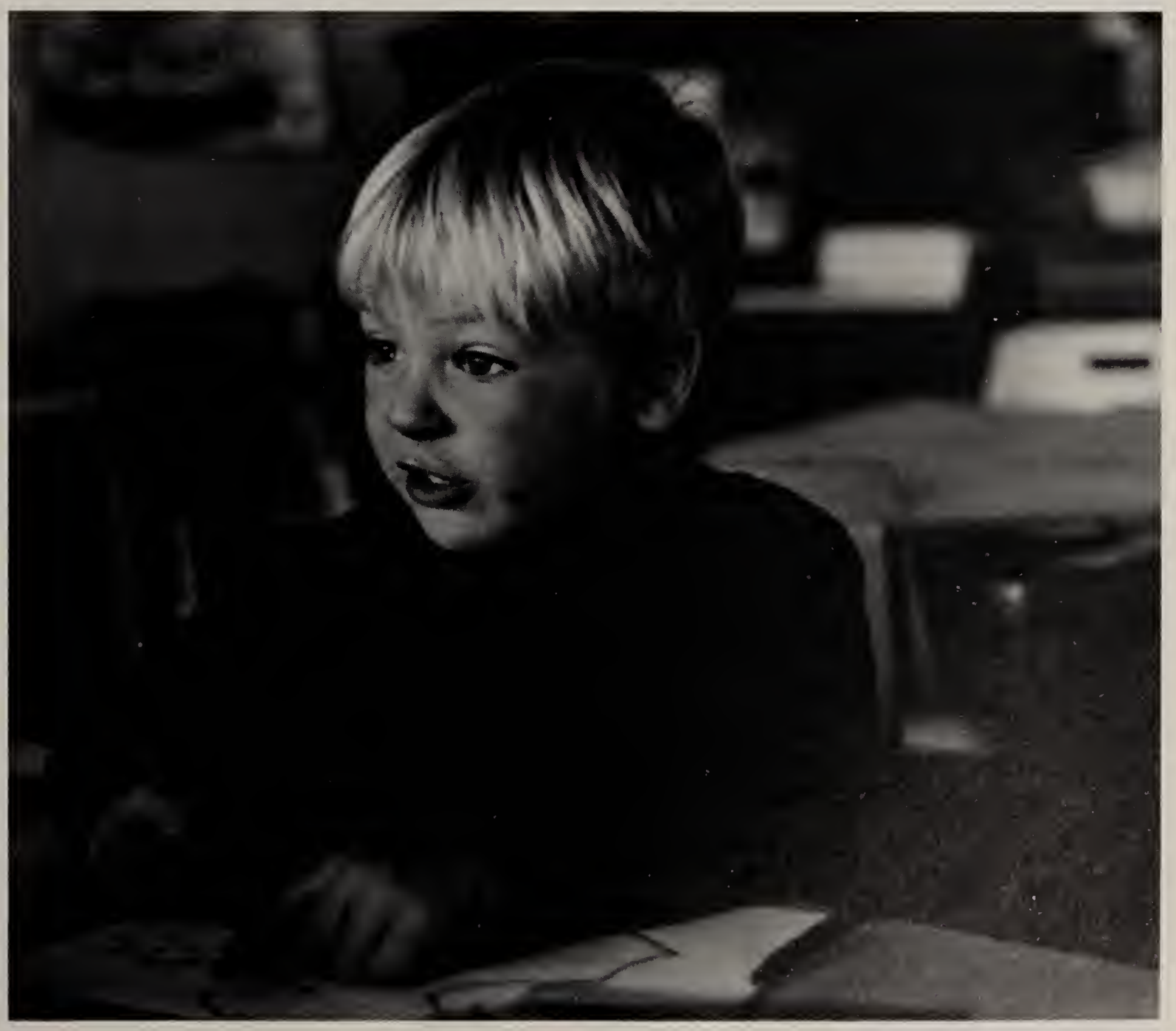


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Dominique Pasquale
Michèle Pauporté
Millie Perry
Emily Prenner
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Erik Wynot





KINDERGARTEN



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Kareem El-Heneidi
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Allison Zamora



ALPHA TEAM







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Maria Zamora



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Peter Trunk
Aditi Viswanathan



SAGAMORE EXCITING

Our trip to Sagamore Hill beach with Mr. Ruppert and Mr. Simpson from the Theodore Roosevelt Sanctury was very interesting. It was a very cold and windy day but we did so many exciting things that we all forgot about the cold. We saw so many fish, crabs a pipefish and a lot of different kinds.





HILL'S SECRETS

of shells and we learned about them. We did sand casting and algae pressing. But the most fun was when we caught fish with a minnow seine. I am hoping that we have more trips like this one.

Bruce Ackerman

Beta II



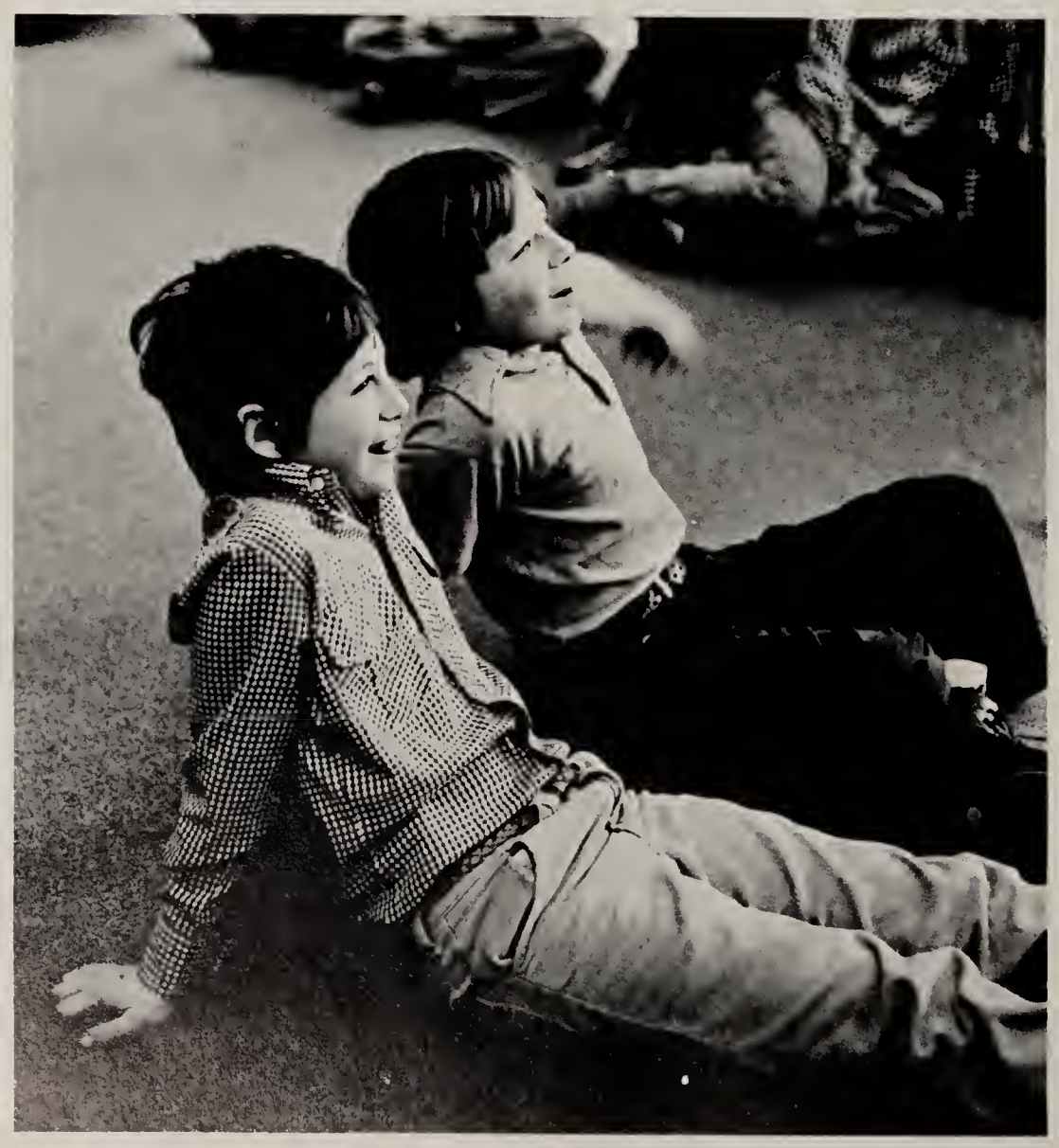








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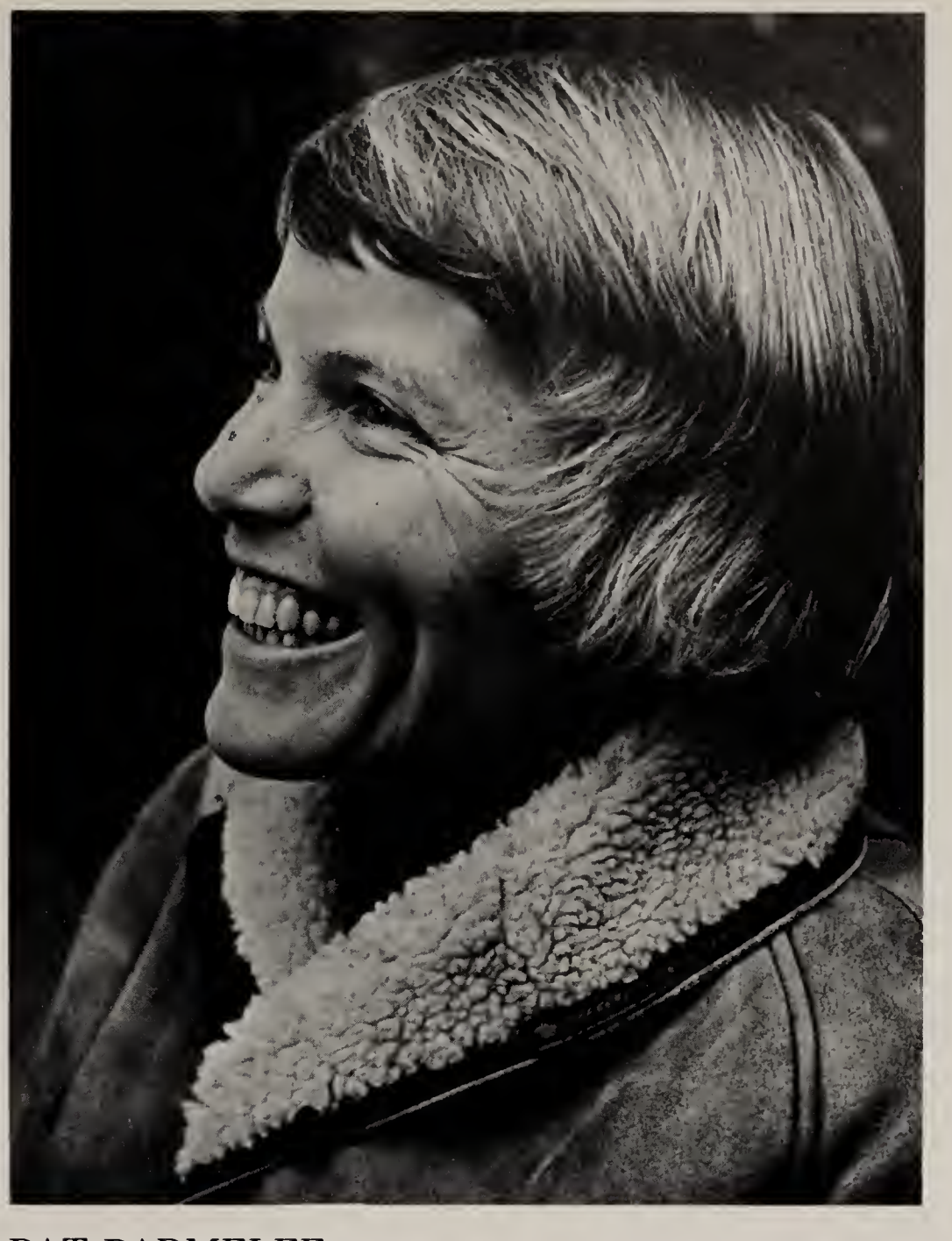
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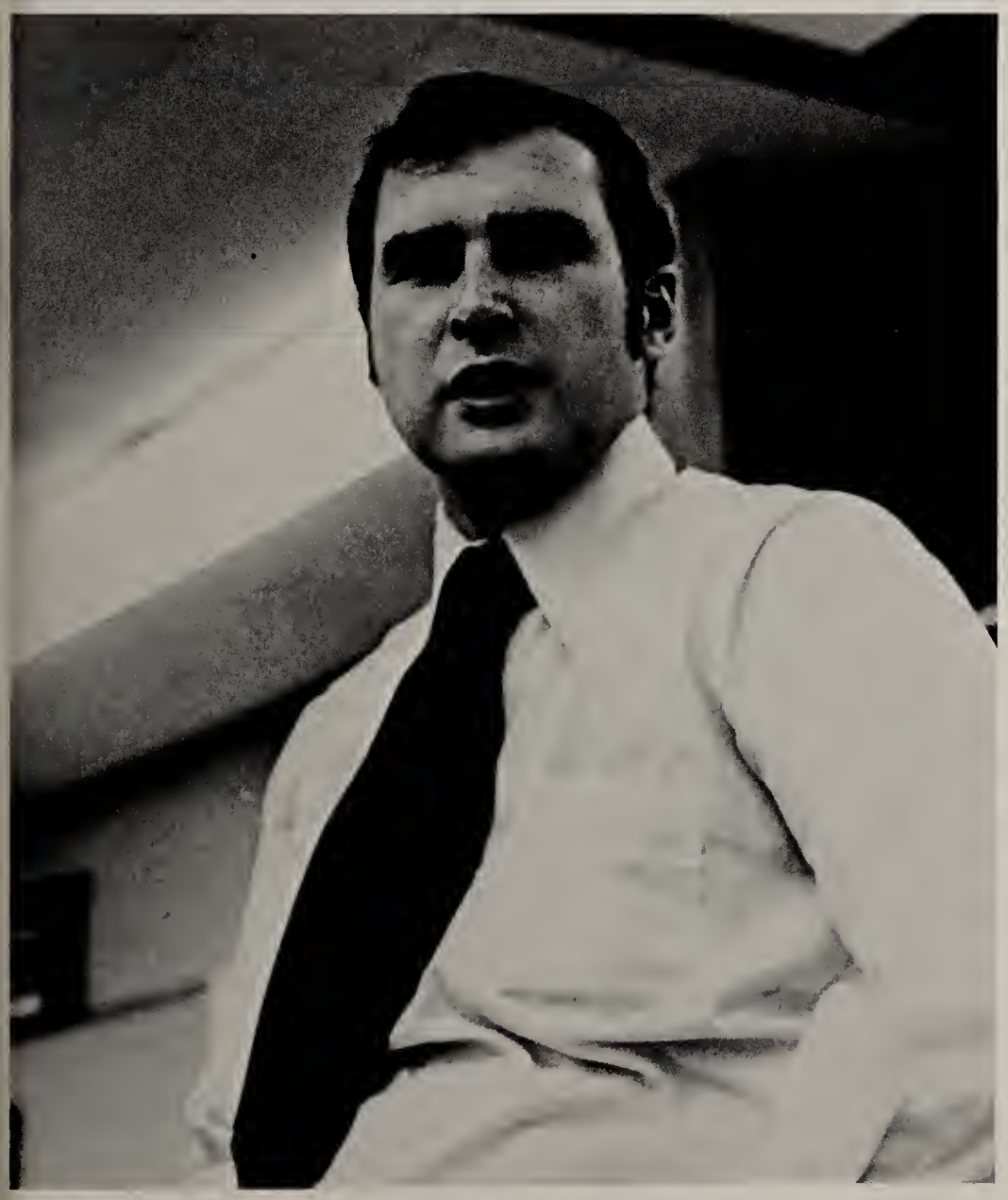
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GIDEON FROST

1798-1880

A LEGACY FOR LEARNING AND LIFE

One century ago, Gideon Frost, a leading member of the Matinecock Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends, founded the Friends' College of Locust Valley.

Friends Academy's one hundredth year marks a time for reflection and projection. In reflection, we find our years here have been rich in warmth, spirit, and enthusiasm. In celebrating our school's centennial, we remember just how old Friends Academy really is; at the same time, we recall with sadness that our stay here is short. Years from now, when even this centennial edition of the Lamp is covered with dust and memories, we will remember this year with spirit and fondness. 1977 will serve as a source of pride and warmth. We will remember that we were fortunate enough to have shared in the one hundredth anniversary of a school whose heritage is great, whose quality is high.

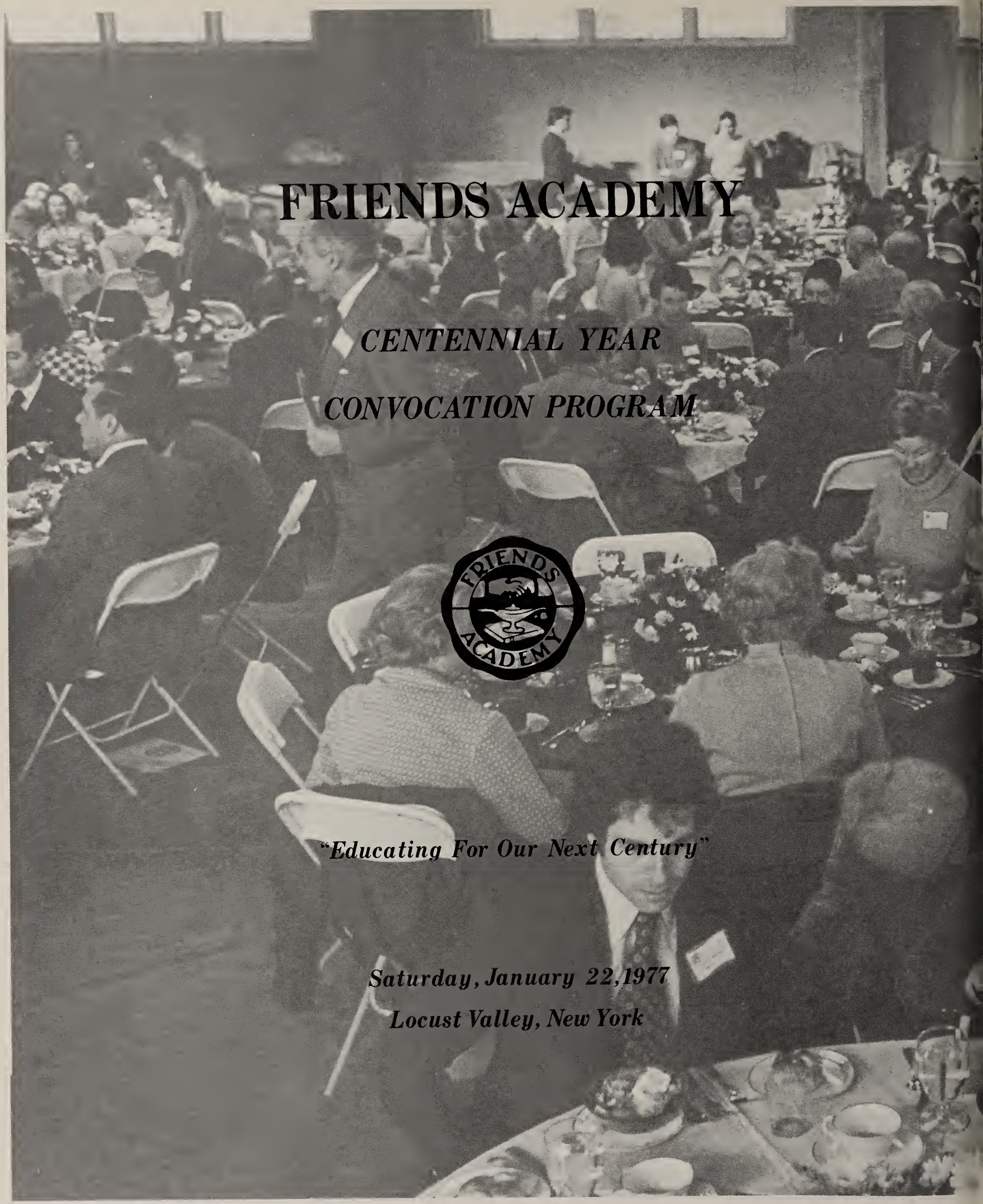
Over its first century, Friends has accumulated many memories. It is difficult to believe that this school which encompasses so many people was founded by one man. Gideon Frost was born in 1798 and died in 1880. As a prominent member of Matinecock Meeting, Frost contributed ten percent of the costs of the Meeting House from his own pocket. When he died in 1880, he left a $150,000 estate to the schcol he had devoted the last quarter of his life to.

Gideon Frost bought six acres of land from William T. Cocks and began building in August, 1875. Frost and Mr. Bailey, who was the contractor, designed the building themselves. The original school building, which was made of white clapboard, stood three stories high and had two wings as well as a main section. It was located about fifty feet north of where the Upper School is now. There was no heat, except that which was generated by the pot-bellied stoves, and no running water. The boys, who occupied the west wing, had no heat whatsoever. In January, 1877, the school adopted its present name. In September, 1957, the boarding school was discontinued so that the school could expand.

The center and east wings of the Upper School were built in 1894. Since 1918, the Upper School has been renovated, rebuilt, the first primary remade, additional acreage and houses acquired, and the playing fields improved.

In September of 1877, Friends Academy was a model of conservatism. Boys and girls were always separated. They used separate entrances, ate in separate rooms unless supervised by a teacher, and were discouraged from speaking to members of the opposite sex. Gideon Frost wrote, "No romances, or other unsuitable or improper forms of literature, or books of fashion, are to be kept or read in the college; and no books of any description are to be introduced there without having been first submitted to the inspection of the teachers." He was also quoted as saying, "I wish to impress upon all that this is a Friends' school, and that neither music nor dancing is to be taught or practiced here . . . . Ball playing and throwing missiles of any description are prohibited." Such were the rules which governed our school's first student body. Perhaps the good old days were not that good after all.

Friends Academy's heritage is long and rich. Within the hallowed halls of the Upper School, students have discussed events such as the sinking of the Maine, The Spanish-American War, Lucky Lindy, the 1932 World Series, Pearl Harbor, the Korean War, the Kennedy assassination, Vietnam, and the election of Jimmy Carter. We have been endowed with a touch of magic — a magic that transcends definition.



FRIENDS ACADEMY

CENTENNIAL YEAR
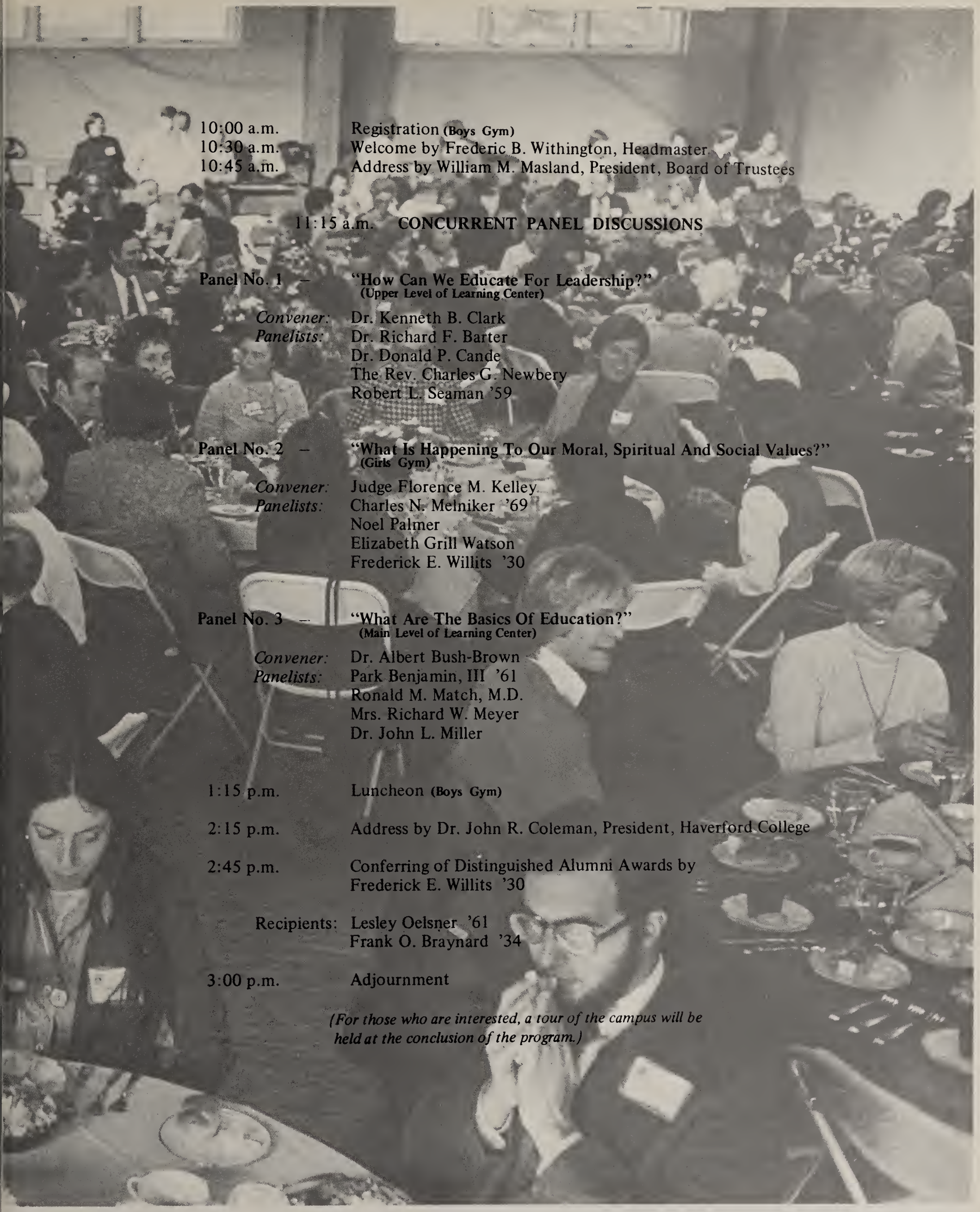
CONVOCATION PROGRAM

"Educating For Our Next Century"

Saturday, January 22, 1977

Locust Valley, New York

CONVOCATION SALUTES THE PAST



10:00 a.m. Registration **(Boys Gym)**
10:30 a.m. Welcome by Frederic B. Withington, Headmaster
10:45 a.m. Address by William M. Masland, President, Board of Trustees

11:15 a.m. **CONCURRENT PANEL DISCUSSIONS**

Panel No. 1 — "How Can We Educate For Leadership?"
(Upper Level of Learning Center)

Convener: Dr. Kenneth B. Clark
Panelists: Dr. Richard F. Barter
Dr. Donald P. Cande
The Rev. Charles G. Newbery
Robert L. Seaman '59

Panel No. 2 — "What Is Happening To Our Moral, Spiritual And Social Values?"
(Girls Gym)

Convener: Judge Florence M. Kelley
Panelists: Charles N. Melniker '69
Noel Palmer
Elizabeth Grill Watson
Frederick E. Willits '30

Panel No. 3 — "What Are The Basics Of Education?"
(Main Level of Learning Center)

Convener: Dr. Albert Bush-Brown
Panelists: Park Benjamin, III '61
Ronald M. Match, M.D.
Mrs. Richard W. Meyer
Dr. John L. Miller

1:15 p.m. Luncheon **(Boys Gym)**

2:15 p.m. Address by Dr. John R. Coleman, President, Haverford College

2:45 p.m. Conferring of Distinguished Alumni Awards by
Frederick E. Willits '30

Recipients: Lesley Oelsner '61
Frank O. Braynard '34

3:00 p.m. Adjournment

(For those who are interested, a tour of the campus will be held at the conclusion of the program.)

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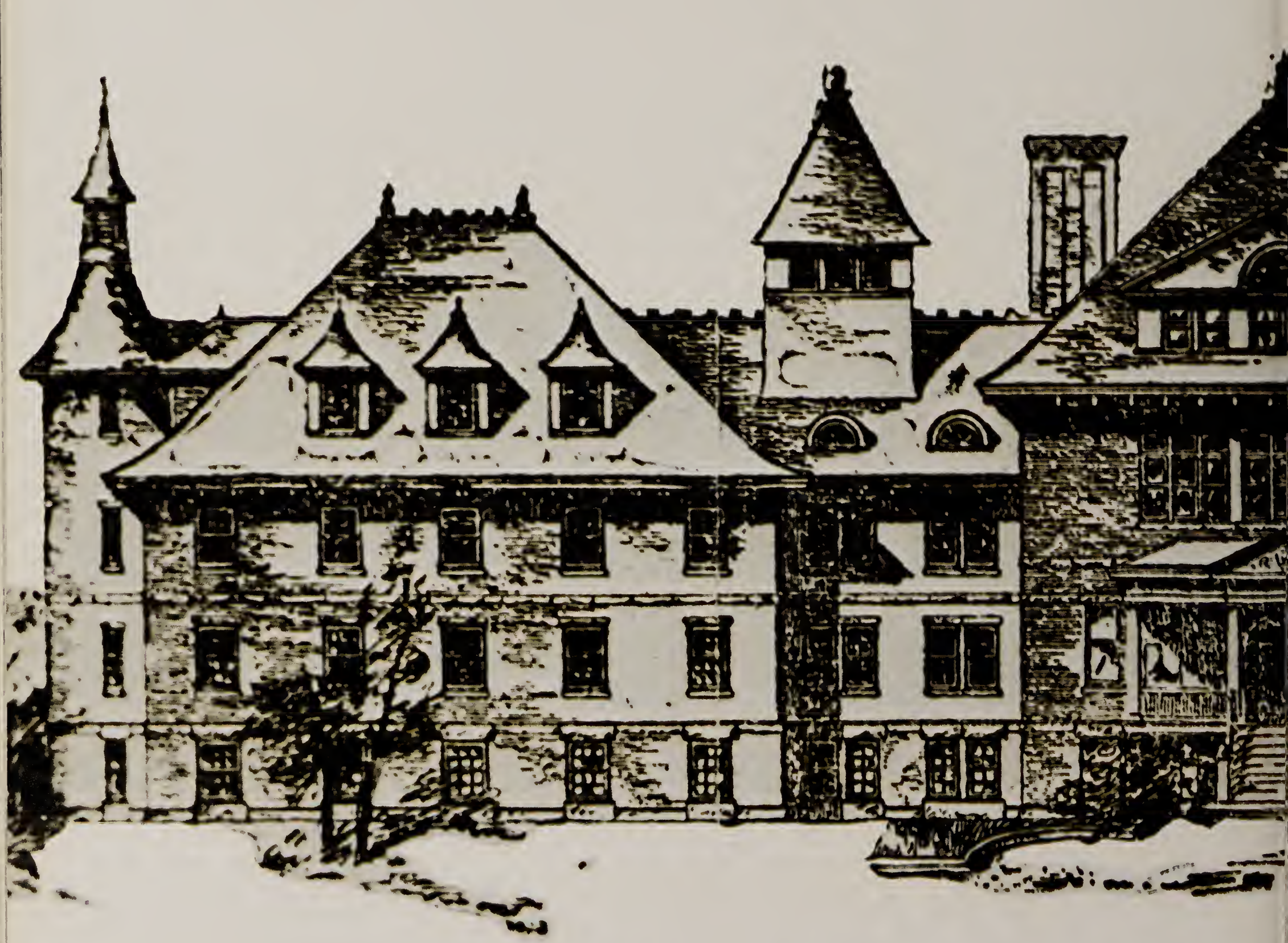


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February 14, 1977

Dear friends,

Creation is an act. As with anything that lives, a book grows from the conflicts and energies of the people making it. Here is our book, a portrait of Friends Academy in a vital year in its history.

Best Wishes,

The Yearbook Staff

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